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## THE OLD MAID.

### Shall Woman Propose and Man Dispose?

### The Alternatives of Polygamy or Old Maidenhood.

### A Catalogue of Eligibles—The Disposal of the Superfluous Woman of the Middle Ages.

Why don't the men propose? is a question as old as the hills. Yale University has a new and distinguished member, not yet properly chronicled. It is a young two headed turtle, normal [illegible]y other respect, but with two well developed heads. Luckily the creature was caught when only two weeks old, or it might have found the environment unfavorable to its existence. The two heads are not on the best of terms with each other, and possess very distinct and at times hostile individuality. Thus, when walking through the stubble if a stout spear of grass comes between the two heads, both pull on it without yielding, and the creature comes to a standstill. One head controls the feet on one side, and the other the feet on the other; and the creature does not easily learn to co-ordinate the two sides. If one head is drawn in its shell and asleep the other head may determine to travel; and travel it does round and round a circle, until the other head gets waked up and starts its side agoing. Sometimes one head will see the eye of the other head and take it for an insect and snap at it, when this second head will retreat into its shell, or both heads will get into a big fight. When both heads retire together they find the space too contracted and that gets them into a quarrel. They feed well, and sometimes one head will be quite satisfied while the other one is yet hungry. The two heads have different dispositions. The right head is more timid and irascible, while the left is more bold and energetic and has the best appetite. They are getting educated to understand each other, and after a three months' term of instruction under a competent professor they have learned to walk and swim with some mutual comfort, and a well harmonized altruistic development is confidently looked for by the professor of ethics. Why don't the man propose? Perhaps he is afraid he might grow into a two headed turtle under the hand of the parson.

Labouchere said the other day that there were in England 1,000,000 girls who had no prospect of ever getting married, at least so long as the present social restrictions obtain. His cure for the evil, if such it be, is to allow the girls to propose to the men, a reform which would add a new terror to the already unhappy existence of the bashful man. For myself I am not ready to admit that marriage is the be all and end all of a woman's life, and from the point of view of the horrid man I am inclined to think that the pursuit is already sufficiently keen without placing new weapon in the hands of the pursuer. If, instead of raging on the hand with shouts and applause and obloquy for the spinster who fails to bring in her man, we should labor to persuade her that the prey is ignoble—well, we might succeed and we might not.

The impression prevails that the man who marries has performed a meritorious act, and is a public benefactor. This impression is carefully fostered by the same jackass press which is ever howling for more and more immigration as if the struggle for existence were not already sharp enough. The man who marries without being able to support the consequences in average comfort is a blackguard, but all the same he has earned the respect and esteem of the Board of Trade and the whole country press. I find in the Vallejo *Chronicle* a catalogue of the young men of the town who are regarded as eligible for the matrimonial yoke. The prizes are indicated under the disguise of initials, and I have no doubt the list might be quite valuable for reference among the fair of the city of What-might-have-been. It makes very queer reading. For instance:

F. A. S.—Engineer; a great "joiner" of secret societies; sings a good bass; doesn't smoke, drink, or chew, but swears once in a while; rides horseback gracefully; quite a pet.

H. H. B.—One of the few things that blew in with the late blast worth keeping; doing finely considering his late exile in a two house village; works for Dave.

R. G.—A blonde; also a cerio; a very fine workman with scholarly appearance; came to California to visit five years ago and is still visiting.

I'm a rooster that's crested, I am;
I'm a blizzard that's tested, I am;
And when I swoop down
I'm the boss of the town,
I'm a daisy, a dollar, I am, I am.

C. W. E.—Chief Clerk, Equipment; came in with the Democratic tide; goes to church; and bets on elections; a baseball enthusiast, and a crayon artist. Good man to keep in town.

J. C. A.—A reliable disciple of Esculapius; eschews meat, chews stale bread, and chooses mush and milk considered a good catch, but is very wary.

C. A. D.—By no means what his initials spell; of good personal appearance, and an excellent molder; has been persecuted by the administration, but is coming back with flying colors; not a Native Son, but one of the boys.

H. M. W.—Does almost anything; was a machinist before election; a heavy singer at serenades; ought to be a journalist or a dramatic critic, or study for the ministry.

H. B. D. is described as a "hayseed in the most fashionable sense," and J. E. is "a pattern maker with a musical bent." F. W. H. is catalogued as "college bred and looking for culture in his lady," while F. O'G.—evidently the O'Grady—is a soda manufacturer who "was born with a military turn of mind." Observe that in Vallejo one does not marry a wife, but is expected to follow the example of the college bred person who is looking for culture in "his lady."

Our rude forefathers over on the other side of the Atlantic were never troubled about the disposal of the superfluous woman, and it is fair to say that our foremothers were quite as rude. Helissent, daughter of Yon de Gascoigne, came to the court of Charlemagne, saying: "My father has been dead these two months and I demand from you a husband." Also La Belle Argentine, wife of Guy de Vanteuil, came to the court to demand a husband. The Duchesse de Bourgoyne begins "Girars di Viane," "My husband is just dead, but to what good to mourn? Since the time of Moses some live and others die. Find me a powerful husband, for I have need of one to defend my land." The King gives her to Gerard de Viane, then looking at her and finding her *gente et accesmee*, he keeps her for himself. Helissent, dame de Ponthieu, a widow of a month, is told to prepare herself to be married to Fromont by her brother, Baldwin de Flandre. "*Sire*, "*dist-elle*," *ci forai vous plaisir*." This is her humble response. Without a moment's delay her brother takes her and gives her to Fromont, and they are married then and there and have "much laughter and joy." Charlemagne married *en bloc* all the widows of his barons who had been killed in the Spanish war. By the bones of the 11,000 virgins of Cologne, Charlemagne would find a great field in Vallejo.

There are two several solutions of the question of the disposal of the superfluous "lady." One is old maidenhood and the other polygamy. The only form of the latter permitted in this country is that which uses the machinery of the divorce court. Take the interesting story of Levi D. Fuller of Cortland, Ill., who the other day married his seventh wife, a red headed, matronly looking woman named Emeline Loomis. Fuller's first wife was Jane Maxwell. A divorce separated them. Alvira Clark was the second wife. She died. Nettie Moore was Fuller's wife three months, and then sought and secured a divorce. Fuller's fourth wife was Mrs. Elizabeth Cynthia Davis. One night the woman's former husband crawled into Fuller's bedroom and shot him in the leg. A divorce followed. Mollie Bishop was Fuller's fifth wife. She involved her husband in a stabbing affray, and was then released from the matrimonial yoke by a divorce court. Lotta Ray was Fuller's sixth wife, and she eloped with a brakeman.

Fuller's diary shows this interesting table:

Replies to advertisements, 1100; number of photographs exchanged, 400; proposals, 119; accepted, 85; rejected, 34; married, 7; divorced, 4; paid breach of promise damages, 1; married by minister, 1; married by justice, 6; shot at, 1; stabbed, 1; time of game, 25 years.

Fuller was engaged to seven women at one time. The only girl that ever went back on him was Carrie Smith of Dubuque. Six of his wives were blondes and one was a brunette. So you see, my dears, that with economy you can make one husband go a long way.

Yet all is not gold that glitters. The seventeenth Duchess of Marlborough may be a cow or she may be a "lady" with a fractional interest in a husband. Better be an old maid and an honest woman. What does Tolstoi say. He describes a story he is writing:

The end to which the story will lead up will be the murder of a wife by her husband. It will exhibit depravation of married life by the substitution of romantic love, a fever born of carnal passion for Christian love, born of identity of sentiment, similarity of ideal, the friendship of the soul. Upon that love, Christian love, the love of brother and sister, if the carnal love can be grafted, it is well; but the former, not the latter, is the first condition of happy married life. Herein the peasants teach us a lesson. They regard what we regard as romantic love as a disease, temporary, and painful, and dangerous. With them no marriage is made under its influence. Anything is better than that. The Herzegovinian, who marry by the drawing of lots, are wiser than we. Our system is the worst possible, and the whole of our wedding ceremonial, and the honeymoon, the feasting, and the incitement to carnality, are directly calculated to result in the depravation of matrimony. Not in one case out of a hundred does romantic love result in a lifelong happy union. The young people whose lives lie in different orbits are drawn together by this everlasting session. They marry. For a month they are happy—perhaps even for a year, or two years. Then they hate each other for the rest of their lives, spending their time in paying homage to the respectabilities by concealing the truth from their neighbors. It must be so.

I think I hear you remark, my dear: "What a funny man Mr. Tolstoi must be."

EDWARD F. CARTER.

## TO WASHINGTON.

### An Oakland Military Company to Attend the Inauguration.

While the members of the Republican Alliance are supposed to be in a state of ferment, which however is closely suppressed, over the question of whether they shall go to Washington to attend the inauguration of President Harrison on March 4th, the matter has been talked over also among members of the National Guard. All the States will be represented on that occasion by detachments of their militia.

Adjutant General Orton has been selected as a member of the Committee of Arrangements from the State of California, and after a long deliberation it has been decided that Company A of the Fifth Regiment, stationed at Oakland, is the best fitted to make the trip. This company ranked highest in efficiency at the last annual inspection of the State troops, and preliminary preparations have been nearly completed. The company is commanded by Captain J. B. Lauck and Lieutenant George C. Pardee and H. B. Gaston, who are known in military circles as thorough military disciplinarians. It was partially for this reason that Company A was selected. The matter has long been talked over, but was kept quiet until the trip is an assured fact. Members of the company have agreed to go, and a meeting will be held on Sunday at 2 P. M. to complete arrangements. It will be a good thing for Oakland to have the State represented by an Oakland company, and the members have individually promised Captain Lauck that they will drill long and often, so as to present a creditable appearance on the trip and at Washington. Definite arrangements have not yet been completed, but matters have taken such a turn that the trip is virtually assumed.

### Caught After a Long Chase.

John Carter, a notorious petty thief, aged 22 years, was arrested by Officers Shorey and Holland to-day on Seventh street, between Webster and Harrison streets, after a long and exciting chase, extending from Sixth and Washington streets, along Sixth to Broadway to Fifth and across fences and back yards and lots to Sixth, then along Webster to Seventh and along Seventh toward Harrison, where he was captured, being so hard pressed that he gave up the race and endeavored to secrete himself in an alley. It was, however, without avail, for the officers in pursuit were so close on his trail that they easily followed him and brought him to jail. Carter is wanted for robbing, in company with two associates, at 9 o'clock on Christmas eve, Alexander Kounth, a fruit and peanut stand keeper, at the corner of Ninth and Washington. All they got on Kounth was 50 cents. Carter has been three times before under arrest for petty larceny. This time the charge is robbery.

### Snell Seminary.

The Snell Seminary will re-open on Monday next after the holiday recess.

## CURIOSITIES.

### Casual Whacking at Some August Heads.

### A Bad Man Tells Some Truths and Some Lies.

### The Courtroom, the Church, the Street, the Editorial Room, and the Concert Hall.

Courtroom curiosities are always interesting. In the recent Barrados trial in which the father of twenty-six children was the defendant in a divorce suit, very singular revelations were made. During the trial H. C. McPike, who was the attorney for the plaintiff, made the startling statement to Judge Gibson that the "miserly and stingy defendant turned the wife of his bed in the street, poor and penniless."

Now, as this sentence is beyond the letter of the court, outside the jurisdiction of the law, and ungoverned by the rules of sense or syntax, I feel at liberty to expose it. In the first part of the sentence more words are used than are necessary. It is a bookish sin, and called pleonasm. I have yet to meet a miserly man who is not stingy. Probably Mr. McPike meant also to imply that the defendant was very parsimonious, in fact, was the opposite of a spendthrift, was addicted to niggardly economy, was close fisted in money matters, spent only what he was forced to, and, moreover, was quite penurious, and Mr. McPike might have prefaced his doubled dose of adjectives with the remark: "Your Honor or in other words, most excellent judge, judicial authority in the Superior Court, legal exponent of the law in this high court of justice—this legal tribunal, I call your attention to the fact, I direct your observation to the statement, I desire you to take official notice that I am a lawyer, a counsellor at law; that I have been admitted to the bar; that I am a barrister entitled to plead cases in a courtroom, or in other words, am an attorney."

The second phrase of the sentence is more inaccurate than the first. What, in the name of all that's legal, is meant by a defendant turning the *wife of his bed* in the street? A man—even a lawyer, etc., might consistently say: "The wife of his brother," or "the wife of his friend," but to say "the wife of his bed" is unpardonably grotesque. "The wife of his bed" is synonomous, for "his bed's wife!" I was about to believe that "bed" was a name given to the hostler or butler employed by defendant, when I read, in the next twinkle of my eye: "Of his *bed in the street*."

Granting that my lawyer friend means by "bed" an ordinary four footed bed, what was it doing in the street? Was it accompanied by its wife, or was it flirting with some giddy bureau? But very probably the lawyer did not say exactly what he meant. Undoubtedly it was the bed's wife and not bed himself who was in the street; and for some unexplained reason said wife was turned out by the defendant. We are informed neither whether this lady was in dishabille or ornamental, nor in what manner she was turned. But what possible crime can the enthusiastic lawyer attach to the allegation that this lady who was in the street was simply turned by the defendant? I do not assert that it is at all times justifiable or even decorous to turn a lady in the street, but there are times when failure to do so would be both stupid and brutal. For instance, if a blind lady, walking along the street, were about to place her dainty foot into a mudhole, and Mr. McPike were present and failed to turn her, I should certainly feel more than mortified when I heard of it.

Possibly, however, the attorney believed that the lady had been turned altogether too rapidly, and that she had been revolved very much as a boy spins his top in the street. Were this the fact we might pardon the lawyer's lack of grammatical precision. Possibly the attorney had a faint conception that the "miserly and stingy defendant" turned this lady into the street. If this be the fact, the bed's wife was not *in* the street on this occasion until she had been turned into the street, and consequently the defendant had nothing to do with any street transaction at all.

But this is not the terminus of the errors in that sentence. In the phrase, "in the street poor and penniless," the omission of the comma after street was an editorial error. But an editor might be condoned for leaving out anything in such a sentence. And now, to be frank, what did you mean, Mr. McPilsby, saying that Mrs. Bed (or bed's wife, said bed in some way being the property of defendant), was both poor and penniless? Was she not also troubled with poverty?

The following startling telegram was part of the news of a contemporary:

FOREIGN.

Emperor William is suffering from a cold.

*To the editor of said Contemporary*—INTELLIGENT SIR: Knowing that your weary heart sometimes panted for news, let me inform you of a graphic fact. Shortly after reading your blood curdling health report above, I had a slight pain in my stomach. Time, about 5:30 P. M.

At a New Year's dinner in Oakland.

Minnie (brilliant High school girl)—Why are New Year's turkeys like the majority of men?

Professor Jestneck (invited guest)—Well, well, well, probably because—er—er—after they're once nicely dressed they are not inclined to work any more.

Minnie—Good, but not right; somebody else guess.

Uncle Joshua (San Joaquin farmer down on a visit)—Because they gobble up nigh onto every thing they get hold on.

Minnie—Wrong; think again.

Little Bob (wrestling with that portion of turkey anatomy that adheres to the drumstick)—I know. Becuz they're mostly tough.

Every body laughs but the professor.

Minnie—You're all wrong, so I'll have to tell. It's because they're not worth as much as they fetch in the market.

In a recent sermon, on "Thou Shalt not Kill," the Rev. Elbert Dille took occasion to remark that inasmuch as millions of birds are annually killed in midsong to supply the millinery cravings of womankind, it would be more in accordance with Christian ethics for ladies of Alameda county to wear stuffed gophers upon their hats! With the dictum of the preacher I have no particular quarrel. But did he ever realize that billions of downy cocoons are annually plunged into scalding water. For what reason? To furnish plug hats for clergymen. In this wholesale murder go down to boiling death the slumbering embryos of billions of fairy winged creatures that would otherwise have flitted in the glad sunlight and inhaled the perfume of beautiful flowers. And why do clergymen wear high, stiff stove pipe hats? Is it because they're comfortable or convenient? A tile, especially the high minded tile worn by theologians, can't be hung on any hat rack that was ever invented without falling down. It is in the way in cars, on the street, the parasols of ladies crush into it, it is heavy, cumbersome, conducive to baldheadedness—always in the way. And why, then, does a clergyman wear a silk hat? Is it for the same reason that a lady wears a canary in her bonnet? Certainly he does not wear it to proclaim to passers by that he lives by his wits, or that he is not a constituent of the tincan brigade, or that he is not a sewer digger, or that he is a gentleman, or that he is not a hewer of wood or a drawer of water. Well, then, in good faith I wish to know which is worse, to kill one bluejay for a lady's hat or to exterminate the hopes of ten thousand winged creature for a clergyman's? Which is the greater crime, if there be any difference, ornithological or entomological murder?

A friend has sent me the following, which he says is the first stanza in his tribute to a prominent lady singer of his acquaintance:

"When first, alone, I met thee in the dark,
And heard, entranced, thy voice's sweetest strain,
My heart was pierced with love's delicious dart:
But when I saw thee! it was well again."

A little while ago a friend of mine, a gentleman by instinct and a preacher by profession, gave a discourse on the subject of Sabbath breaking. During the course of his sermon he remarked: "I would have scruples against preaching a funeral sermon over any one who had been killed by the cars while riding on Sunday." Last Sunday the identical preacher said: "There is to be a dedication of a church this afternoon at Thirty-fourth street. To get there take the cars at ——." Great Scot!

Amelie Rives Chanler has written a preface to "The Quick and the Dead." She apologizes for her explanation by saying that milk and rattles make poison are identical in the quality and quantity of their ingredients, the difference in the effect of the liquids being occasioned by a subtle difference in the juxtaposition of the molecules of each fluid, and she further states that if the milk of human kindness in some of her readers has soured into poison, the change has not been wrought by contact with "The Quick and the Dead," as all motives that suffused her soul when she published her story were free from stain. About the time that Amelie was dawning upon the literary horizon I met Ella Wheeler Wilcox in the East, who praised the fair debutante's grace and beauty, literary taste and elevated nature, in glowing terms. Therefore I am loath to think that the author of "The Quick and the Dead" intended to concoct snake poison to ruin her readers. But it is a surprise—and it savors of the grotesque—for a brilliant writer who has written a book that has made its author famous, to attempt to explain or defend it! We pardon an Englishman who stops midway in a conversation to explain his ponderous joke, but to plaster the landscape of imagination with an explanation, bring to mind the bungling artist who labeled his dead: "This is a cow."

If the precipitate of Amelie Chanler's milk it needs no apology; if poison an apolegetic explanation makes it worse. Her bit of information about the concoction is very similar to the following, which was found by the society reporter on a scrap of paper at a girls' seminary at a recent entertainment: "The male wasp does not sting, but as he and his sister are country sports and are dressed alike this piece of knowledge availeth not."

W. Dean Howells is always discovering snags in the other people's poetry. In his last editorial he says that Francois de Bonivard, the "Prisoner of Chillon," did not have any brothers. For this rapid and paltry reason the rationalistic author of "Lemuel Barker" endeavors to deride the exquisite feeling in Byron's beautiful poem. Howells would find fault with the dawn because there are mists in the morning.

A very obnoxious custom is that of advertising pianos at fashionable musicales. Of course, the instruments are furnished free of charge on the condition that an ugly signboard containing some such words as "Wrecker Brothers," or "Polar & Blaze" or "Brick & Gooner" may be paraded in full glare. Let the musical artists who know that true esthetic effects are produced not only by the according tones of the gamut, but also by true and artistic combinations and arrangements of flowers, position of the piano, attitude of the artist, etc.—let those, I say, who believe in these psychological truths split those signboards into kindling wood. If you must beg or borrow your pianos it would be better, rather than to continue this disgusting advertising scheme to allow some perfumed dude, who sells shoe music, to mount the platform and exclaim in piccolo accents: "This piano is the portable property of my firm Messrs. Blank & Asterisk." Why think of a lady—Christine de la Motte for instance—coming upon the platform, standing amid the blushing roses and chrysanthemums, singing some strain of thrilling melody, while her beautiful polonaise was plastered in bold, red, glaring letters with: "From Raft & Cartoon, dry goods merchants." And all this free advertising because said merchants had, perchance, given her a pair of lovely silk stockings, or a discount in the price of her dress!

CHRISTOPHER KING.

## POISONED BY BRASS.

### The Singular Ailment of a Son of L. L. Bromwell.

Some months ago Percy Bromwell, the young son of L. L. Bromwell, was taken down with blood poisoning in his arm, which was contracted from a small cut on one of his fingers, by bringing the wound into contact with the brass handle of a small velocipede, on which he continually rode. The hand began to swell and then the swelling commenced bended the whole arm, and for a time the boy was thought to be in a very serious condition, but by prompt action Dr. J. L. Adams has managed to reduce the swelling, and now reports the young man nearly recovered. The arm was swollen to twice its normal size at one time, and was extremely painful. In a few days, if nothing happens, Dr. Adams says the wound will be entirely healed.

### The Jury Disagreed.

The jurors in the case of P. J. Kelley, accused of selling a glanders horse, after remaining out six hours were discharged last night by Judge Gibson because they failed to agree upon a verdict. They stood ten for conviction and two for acquittal.

### Photographing Prisoners.

The cost to the city last year for photographing prisoners whose pictures now adorn the Rogues' Gallery was $179 60. In 1887 the amount paid for the same service was $163 20.

## NIGHT PROWLERS.

### A New Police Order Which Is Bearing Good Results.

The regulations of the Police Department now require that all suspicious characters found by the members of the force lounging about the public streets after midnight shall be brought to the City Prison. These regulations are bearing splendid results, ridding the streets of night prowlers. Honest citizens, who have for some good and satisfactory reason been belated, are not at all disturbed by this order. If accosted by a patrolman, an honest citizen can readily purge himself of all suspicion concerning his character. The regulation is aimed at tramps and other persons without visible means of livelihood, and to them it is becoming something in the nature of a terror. It promises to rid the town of many if not all of that class of evil doers who prey on the property of citizens during the still hours of night. At 3 o'clock this morning a man who gave the name of W. H. Ellis was found by Special Officer Goodwin lounging at the corner of Eighth and Washington streets, and being unable to give a satisfactory reason for being there at so unseasonable an hour, was taken into custody and brought to the City Hall. A subsequent search of the prisoner's pockets revealed a pair of tweezers ingeniously shaped so as to form an excellent door key nippers with which any ordinary door key could be turned from the outside if the key were left in the lock and also a skeleton key. The prisoner admitted that he had stolen a free ride on the railroad from Suisun, arriving here at midnight. Two charges have consequently been preferred against Ellis—one for carrying burglar's tools and the other for stealing a railroad ride, which is a misdemeanor under the State law, punishable with a fine of not less than $5 nor more than $20.

## TEMPERANCE LEGISLATION.

### Three Phases of a Vexatious Problem Ably Discussed.

### Papers Upon Unrestricted Traffic, High License and Total Prohibition.

Last evening the Starr King Fraternity admitted the public to an interesting debate upon topics of great public interest. A great number of people took advantage of the general invitation, and consequently Hamilton Hall was well filled.

John P. Irish, President of the Fraternity, opened the meeting by explaining that the subject to be discussed was "Temperance Legislation," which was to be treated by three papers, one on "Unrestricted Traffic," one on "High License," and a third on "Prohibition."

Mr. Irish then introduced L. A. Redman, who read a paper on the first named subject. The speaker contended that even the friends of temperance would admit that the liquor business could not be stopped by doing away with saloons. High license or prohibitory laws would have no effect upon the sale of liquor so long as the root of the evil was allowed to remain in the shape of distilleries and breweries. The laws passed by the Legislature might be doubly severe as now, but no effect would be noticeable. People who want to drink would do so simply because the saloons might all be closed, and still the improvement would only be apparent, not real.

The speaker argued that people have a right to get drunk if they so desire. When they begin they are fully aware that the injury can only fall upon themselves, and it certainly does not injure anybody else. He contended that in places where there is no restriction upon the sale of intoxicants the consumption is not materially increased from one year to another. He then referred to the prohibitory laws of Maine and other States, and read pages of statistics to show that in these places the sales of liquors had enormously increased since the passage of such laws. This indicates that prohibition does not prohibit, and as for him the speaker thought that an unrestricted traffic would do less harm than to try and break up the existing evil unless the root was eradicated.

A. B. Nye was then introduced, and at once commenced his side of the question by saying that if the saloons were abolished the worst evils of the liquor traffic would go with them. As it is now, the saloons have a controlling power. Politics in all its branches are now being run by the saloons. Candidates are nominated and elected over the bar, and at present the entire power of cities is concentrated in a few saloons. Prohibition, he contended, is not an absolute success. What is needed is a license so high that none can pay it, and then the saloons will have to go. In any city high license would close one or two thirds of the grogmills, and if that was not improvement what was it? It would certainly make politics more clean. He referred to the curse of liquor in the different countries of the world, and especially in China and England, and then followed up his argument by tracing the consumption of liquor in this country from the landing of the Pilgrims on Plymouth rock. The early prohibitory laws were reviewed and it was shown that during their operation more liquor was consumed than when the laws were abolished. The legislative and municipal governments should pass laws fixing the license high and then the evil could be stopped. He then told how the passage of a high license law in Oakland had at once closed over sixty saloons, and read statistics showing that where a high license law had been passed the sale of liquors had decreased wonderfully.

S. P. Meads, the last speaker of the evening, was introduced by Mr. Irish and read a paper on Prohibition. Mr. Meads could not see how an unrestricted traffic could possibly result in any good to the community at large, inasmuch as it did not put any hardships upon the sellers, who could go on making drunkards until the day of judgment without being molested. Neither did he see how high license was going to affect the sale of intoxicants in any way. To be sure it might close up a few of the lower classes of saloons, but still those more high toned places could afford to pay their licenses as they would gain more by having some of their poorer neighbors taken from the business. The only way to stop the traffic in liquor once for all, the speaker said, was by strict prohibitory laws which should be vigorously enforced. The only reason that prohibition does not work in some places is simple, because the laws are not enforced, and that more than any other reason produces the increase in the consumption of liquor.

### Cost of Special Police Service.

The city disbursed $146 30 last year for the service of special police officers employed at the polls on election day.

## JUVENILE HOUSEBREAKERS.

### Two Boys Take Possession of a Well Furnished House.

Recently Isaac Crow and family, whose residence is near the corner of Eighteenth and Chestnut streets, left the city for a visit to the Eastern States. The house, which is well furnished and located in a good neighborhood, was carefully locked up, on the presumption that no harm would come to it or to its contents during the absence of the family. This presumption has, however, been completely upset, for during the last three or four nights the premises have been occupied by two uncontrollable youngsters named Aleck Smith, aged 11 years, and Charles Kirchener, aged 9 years, the parents of both of whom are in comfortable circumstances, but are unable to exercise any influence over their children. To-day little Charley was in the prisoner's dock of the Police Court, but no complaint has yet been filed against him, and his case was consequently postponed for consideration by the Police Court until Monday. The arresting officer, Brown, says the boys probably entered the house through the rear; but when he examined it, every door in the building was unlocked, and everything in the house was turned topsy turvey. Even Mr. Crow's secretaire had been broken into and his papers all taken out and strewn on the floor of his library. Officer Brown says the house is in a dreadful mess. Whether the boys have stolen anything or not cannot be determined until the Crow family return, and when that event will happen is not known to the police. In the meantime the premises have been carefully secured and placed under special police surveillance until the return of the family. Smith is at yet at large.

Both of the boys are confirmed runaways. The Smith boy's father is dead. His mother is an excellent lady, well off, and living in a fine house opposite the Crow residence. She has been compelled on previous occasions to call on the police for assistance in the management of her wayward boy, whom she has endeavored to train in the way he should go. Charley Kirchener confesses to having robbed the basket of Jacob Rockenburg, a dealer in notions at the free market, on Fourth and Clay streets a short while ago, taking four plugs of tobacco, which he afterwards sold for 5 cents, and thread, needles, and some notions of trifling value. On the 28th of December Charley was arrested for stoning a Chinaman and he pleaded guilty, but the Court in consideration of his tender years suspended judgment. He will probably be sent this time to the care of the Boys' and Girls' Aid Society.

## A NOTARY'S FEES.

### Showing the Growth of the Business in Eight Years.

An interesting showing of the growth of notarial business in Oakland appears from a report of fees made by A. Koenig, who has been a notary public at 960 Broadway in this city since June 1880. The following is the report:

1880—June 4th to December 1st, $21; total, $21.

1881—January 1st to June 30th, $115; July 1st to December 31st, $141 75; total, $256 75.

1882—January 1st to June 30th, $98; July 1st to December 31st, $123; total, $221.

1883—January 1st to June 30th, $118; July 1st to December 31st, $108 50; total, $226 50.

1884—January 1st to June 30th, $133 50; July 1st to December 31st, $227; total, $360 50.

1885—January 1st to June 30th, $330 50; July 1st to December 31st, $381 70; total, $712.

1886—January 1st to June 30th, $301; July 1st to December 31st, $461; total, $762.

1887—January 1st to June 30th, $527; July 1st to December 31st, $602; total, $1129.

1888—January 1st to June 30th, $712; July 1st to December 31st, $852; total, $1564.

Grand total, $5091 75.

## ONE DAY TOO YOUNG.

### Cupid Edgar Says He Is Not a German Scholar.

Rudolph Kleiner, a young German, called at the County Clerk's office this morning for the purpose of securing a license to marry Annie Will. However, the young lady was not of age, as her eighteenth birthday will be to-morrow. The young man was told that he would have to secure the consent of her parents if he desired to marry the girl to-day. Kleiner said that he had already looked after that matter and produced a letter written in German which he said was the consent of the girl's parents, who are in the East. But Cupid Edgar cannot read German so he could not issue the license. The applicant was very much disappointed, as he says the birthday of his brother and his affianced occur to-morrow and he wanted to celebrate the double anniversary by making it his wedding day. Kiener was told to seek an interpreter and have the letter translated.

## SHE ONLY FAINTED.

### A Woman's Experience on Broadway Last Night.

Last night a lady who answers to the name of Mrs. J. Atkinson fell on the sidewalk on the corner of Ninth street and Broadway. She soon became unconscious and was removed to the Receiving Hospital in the patrol wagon. From her actions it was supposed that she had taken poison, so emetics were applied after her arrival at the hospital. The woman regained consciousness and denied that she had taken any poison. This morning she stated that while she was walking along the street she was suddenly taken with cramps. She admits that she is a victim of drugs and this was probably the cause of her illness. She will be discharged from the Hospital to-day. The woman has no relatives in the State.

### Another New Charter Conference.

A conference was held last night among Mayor Pierce, the City Attorney, and the members of the legal profession who were on the Board of Freeholders that framed the charter, namely: John A. Stanly, H. A. Powell, E. J. Pringle, John R. Glascock, and Warren Olney, at which the resolution prepared by the Mayor for submission to the Legislature for the ratification of the new charter was considered. A form of resolution, in which a certified copy of the entire charter is incorporated, was finally agreed upon and the Mayor was to-day arranging it for transmission to the Legislature.

### Mr. Snyder Recovering.

S. A. Snyder, a real estate broker, is slowly recovering from a serious attack of hemorrhage of the lungs. When a little stronger he will go to the mountains.

### Police Patrol Wagon.

The Police Patrol wagon service has cost the city through the year 1888 the sum of $615 58.

## THE BOSTON QUINTET.

### A Rare Treat of Chamber Music at Dr. Dille's Church.

It is a common, and in general a well deserved, criticism upon Boston, that with the exception of its schools for voice training it goes in for theoretical music rather than for the practical side. It has good schools of music, subsidiary, however, to better schools elsewhere. It can talk learnedly about subdominants and thoroughbass, but in the way of supporting good musical institutions it is hardly comparable with New York, despite the claim of its enthusiastic admirers that it is the musical center of the land.

With this in mind one admires all the more the Quintet Club which hails from this same Boston, and which is far superior to any other exponents of Chamber music who have been heard here, save those of the Mendelssohn Club of the same city.

The Boston Quintet Club comprises J. F. Rhodes, solo violinist; Paul Mende, violinist; Oscar Hentschel, flute virtuoso and violinist; Paul Stoeving, violinist and viola solist; Louis Blumenberg, violoncello virtuoso, and Miss Anne Carpenter, prima donna soprano.

Last night the club gave a recital in the First Methodist Church, which was well filled with an appreciative audience, quick to appreciate fine instrumentation and ready to render it the due applause. The programme was this:

Quintet, Op. 5, Allegro.....Svendsen
Flute solo, Fantasie.....Terschalk
Oscar Hentschel.
Bolero.....Thome
Miss Annie Carpenter.
a. Traumerei.....Schumann
b. Love Song.....Faubert
Quintet.
Violin solo, "Faust Fantasie".....Sarasate
John F. Rhodes.
Midnight Scene.....Brisson
Midnight Toll, March of the Ghosts, Conspiracy, Serenade, Disappearance,
Arranged for Quintet.
Violoncello Solo, "Russian Aria".....Davidoff
Louis Blumenberg.
Minuet.....Boccherini
Miss Annie Carpenter.
Quintet, Babillage.....Gillet

The opening number, the allegro movement of Svendsen's opus 5, is a delightful bit of harmony for strings well balanced in its orchestration, and its rendition last night charmingly brought out its operatic flavor. Terschalk's fantasie is a difficult composition for the flute. It abounds in involved fingering of the stops, but it afforded Mr. Hentschel an excellent opportunity to show his command over his instrument.

Miss Carpenter is an excellent soprano. Her voice is by nature full and sweet, training has given her complete mastery over every note within its compass, and she is in manner most pleasing. Two numbers fell to her lot in last night's programme, Thorne's "Bolero" and Boccherini's "Minuet," and each was exquisitely rendered.

The quintet rendered all its numbers well, handling with especial freedom and marked ability Brisson's "Midnight Scene," a composition almost operatic in character, and demanding hearty sympathy among the musicians and full accord in the rendering. Mr. Blumenberg's playing of an arrangement of Russian popular airs upon the violoncello was a revelation to those who are unacquainted with the possibilities of one of the richest of all string instruments. The club will shortly give two recitals in San Francisco.

## AN OLD SEARCHER.

### Death of A. G. Lawrie, After Years of Illness.

After seven years of suffering A. G. Lawrie died last evening. For seven years he had been hobbling about the streets of Oakland, having been paralyzed for that time, and, though he has tried all manner of remedies, he has never been able to obtain relief.

Mr. Lawrie was a Scotchman and came to this coast in the 50's. He first settled in Virginia City, Nev., and began searching records. This was in 1862, and for several years he continued in that business. After a time his partner died and Mr. Lawrie came to Alameda county. He married his deceased partner's wife and then located in San Leandro, where the Courthouse was first located. When the county seat was removed to Oakland, he followed hither and continued his business. He was a hard worker. Continuous mental exertion undermined his health. Seven years ago his wife died and he then became paralyzed, he took A. M. Schramm, one of his clerks, into partnership, but his health becoming worse he sold out his share in the firm to A. H. Stocker. About two months ago Mr. Schramm died, and last evening Mr. Lawrie followed him. He leaves no family, and though at one time he owned considerable property it is said that he leaves comparatively a small estate. At one time he had the entire searching business of this county in his hands, and he is reported to have said that he cleared $30,000 by his work in this county.

### Promised to Reform.

Sheldon Hodges and Walter Shepman were arrested on the 30th ult. on charges of petty larceny, having rifled the till of a cigar store. Last Saturday Shepman was sentenced to pay a fine of $25 or serve twenty-five days in jail, Judge Henshaw stating at the time that his parents were making arrangements for his transfer to a place where he would be removed from the evil associates and influences surrounding him here, and thus give him an opportunity to reform. The sentence of Hodges was deferred until to-day, when, on a promise to reform, Judge Henshaw sentenced Hodges to pay a fine of $25 or serve twenty-five days in jail, the same penalty as had been imposed on his confederate. Hodges told the court that if he had a father good enough to get him out of his present trouble he would never bother the court any more. His father paid his fine, and the young man was released. It is understood that he will be sent into the interior. Shepman is still in jail.

### Jackson and McAuliffe.

Sam Bones is the proudest man on the Oakland local train. He is both proud and happy, for did it not fall to his lot at 11:30 o'clock this morning to take Peter Jackson and Joe McAuliffe from the Oakland pier to East Oakland on their way to Joe Dieves's retreat? The pugilists occupied a seat together in the front smoker, and conversed very pleasantly with each other and two friends. The story got abroad that this celebrated pair were on this train, and there was a big crowd in the smoker after it left Broadway.

### The Evolution of Truth.

Dr. Voorsanger will deliver to-morrow night at 7:30 o'clock the second of the course of lectures at the First Hebrew Congregation, taking for his subject "The Evolution of Truth."

### Pearson's Case.

The testimony in the case of E. Lafferty against John W. Pearson has been concluded. The argument will be finished this afternoon when the case will be given to the jury.

# PULPIT AND PEW.

## The Theological Debate Is Not Yet Ended.

### Issues in the Case of Orthodoxy vs. Unitarianism.

### Several Sermons on Subjects That Grew From Comments on Robert Elsmere.

The Northern Convocation of the Episcopal Church will hold its next meeting on the 16th and 17th of this month, in Christ Church, Alameda. For reasons deemed satisfactory, and upon consultation with others of the brethren, the dean and Executive Committee decided to make this change from the place of meeting that had been agreed upon. The first service will be held on Wednesday evening, the 16th, at 7:30, when the sermon will be preached by the Rev. Dr. Lathrop of East Oakland. At 10 A. M. Thursday there will be a celebration of the Holy Communion, when it is expected that the Rev. Mr. Neales will preach. The subject for discussion at the Convocation is the proposed division of the diocese of California. It is a subject of much importance, and one upon which there is great difference of opinion, notwithstanding the harmonious action of the convention last May. Whether or not the desire for division is as strong in the Southern district as it was, seems to be a question, too, though we know no grounds which warrant a supposition that the sentiment down there has changed.

THE SCOTCH EVANGELIST.

At the Market Street Congregational Church, on Market, near Twenty-second street, John Currie, the Scotch evangelist, will begin to-morrow special gospel meetings. He will preach both morning and evening to-morrow and every evening during the week except Saturday. Mr. Currie and his estimable wife are well known in Oakland and San Francisco, having done an excellent work six years ago, when they visited the Pacific coast before. Professor Meredith will lead the singing in the evening from Gospel hymns 5.

DR. M'LEAN ON EVANGELICAL FAITH.

At the First Congregational Church the pastor will preach morning and evening. The morning subject will be: "Is the Evangelical Faith Moribund; and Is There Any Visible Promise That Unitarianism Will Take Its Place?" The discourse will advert somewhat to current local discussions, but will spare poor Robert Elsmere.

The evening subject will be: "The Soul's Watchword for a New Year." All seats free at night. The evening service will close by 8:30 o'clock, and be followed by an after meeting.

Dr. Hancock will preach in the East Oakland Methodist Church morning and evening. An opportunity will be given for the baptism of children in connection with the morning service, and of adults after evening sermon. The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered after the morning sermon.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCHES.

The Golden Gate Church, Oakland, has lately been renovated and improved in various ways. Interesting reports are given of the work in that field, and the pastor, Rev. W. H. Cook, is much encouraged.

The congregation of the Union Church at San Lorenzo has extended a call to the Rev. George B. Allen of East Oakland to its pastorate.

Rev. Professor Moore tendered his resignation as pastor of Plymouth Avenue Church, Oakland, last Sunday, to take effect March 1st. If health and heavy duties as professor in the Theological Seminary and in other ways have led him to seek relief from this pastorate so dear to him, and which he has held since the organization of that church fifteen years ago.

CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.

A. J. Bell, an evangelist, will address an audience of men only to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. He will take for his subject "The Mission of the Young Men's Christian Association." He is an earnest, interesting speaker, and all men ought to hear him. A special praise service of song, accompanied by several pieces of music, will be held at the opening service for fifteen minutes. The young men's social this evening will be specially interesting, and is open to all young men. C. T. Mason, formerly Young Men's Christian Association State Secretary of California, but now an evangelist, will be the speaker for Sunday, January 13, 1888.

IN HIS GRANDFATHER'S FOOTSTEPS.

William I. Kip Tertius, was chosen President of his class upon its "organization" in the General Theological Seminary. Mr. Kip was graduated last year from the State University of California, and soon after went East to study for the ministry. He is a grandson of the Right Reverend, the Bishop of the Diocese of California.

A METHODIST REVIVAL.

At the First Methodist Episcopal Church of which Rev. Dr. Hille is pastor, A. J. Bell, the evangelist, will preach morning and evening. Young people's meeting at 6:30 P. M. Revival meetings will be held each evening during the week, conducted by Mr. Bell. All are cordially welcome.

ORTHODOXY AND UNITARIANISM.

At the Asbury Methodist Episcopal Church South, corner of Clay and Fifteenth streets, the pastor, Rev. T. A. Atkinson, will preach a New Year's sermon at 11 A. M. to-morrow, on the subject, "The Redemption of Time." Sacramental service and reception of members.

The subject of the evening discourse will be "The Contrast of the Orthodox Faith with Unitarianism Universalism, and Atheism," from the text, "For their rock is not as our rock, even our enemies themselves being judges."

DR. CHAPMAN'S SERMONS.

"The Believer's Greater Works Than Bodily Healing," will be the subject of to morrow morning's discourse by Rev. B. S. Chapman, D. D., at the Brooklyn Presbyterian Church in East Oakland. At the evening service will be given the sixth of the series of discourses on "External Evidences." "The Testimony of Ancient Nations and their Records to the Truth of Scriptural Prophecy" will be the subject of this Sunday evening's discourse. Several questions respecting recent discourses will be answered in this sermon. Service each evening next week (Saturday excepted): 7:30. Communion January 13th.

PULPIT TERMS.

The pastor of the Harrison Street Baptist Church, Rev. W. F. Fleenor, will preach at 11:15 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Morning subject, "Anointed of God." Evening, "A Faithful Saying." Sunday school at 10 A. M. Special revival services will be holden every evening during the week.

At the Second Presbyterian Church the pastor, Mr. Rice, will preach at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Morning subject, "Shining in the Light of God." Communion after sermon. Evening subject, "Numbering Our Days."

At the Tenth Avenue Baptist Church Rev. J. Herndon Garnett, pastor, will preach both morning and evening. Evening theme: "The Message of 1888 to 1889." The week of prayer observed at this church with interesting services each evening.

Rev. C. H. Hobart will preach at the First Baptist Church to-morrow morning and evening at the usual hours. Themes, morning: "Glad Tidings;" evening, "A Ringing Cry for Help." Sunday school at 12:30 P. M. Strangers are welcome.

Rev. H. C. Waddell will preach in Odd Fellows' Hall on Sunday at 11 A. M. Subject, "Contradictions in Life, Real and Apparent." Subject of lecture at 7 P. M., "Inspiration."

At the Thirty-fourth Street Methodist Episcopal Church, the sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered to-morrow at 11 A. M. Preaching by the pastor, subject, "Our Relation to Christ." Preaching in the evening by Rev. Mr. Nicoll, a returned missionary from South India.

At the Eighth Avenue Congregational Church, in the morning the pastor will make his annual report, followed by communion service. Evening subject, "This Year Thou Shalt Die."

At the San Pablo Avenue Baptist Church the pastor, Rev. A. J. Sturtevant, will preach morning and evening. Morning subject, "The Christian's Attitude Toward the Past and the Future"; evening subject, "A Visitor Met at the Door but Not Welcomed."

Dr. Penney will preach at the Free Baptist Church, on Twenty-first street at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Morning subject, "For or Against?" In the evening, "Importunity in Prayer." Communion at the morning service and reception of members. Young people's meeting at 6:30 P. M.

At the Unitarian Church in Hamilton Hall Rev. C. W. Wendte will preach at 11 A. M. Topic: "Look Forward, Not Back." Mr. Wendte will preach at San Jose in the evening on "Robert Elsmere."

## BEAUTIFUL PIEDMONT.

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The prospects of the Piedmont cable road are improving, and the company is still running lines, though hindered by the rain. Whatever route may be chosen, the cable railroad will end at Piedmont. That is the goal at which the road is arriving. The gentlemen who are back of this enterprise recognized the great advantages and beauties of Piedmont as a place of suburban residence, and they have decided that it must have better facilities for communication. Land at Piedmont is cheap when the great natural advantages are considered. The magnificent view and the picturesque surroundings make Piedmont the most delightful spot for residence that can be found anywhere about Oakland.

### An Old Suit Decided.

The old suit of Joseph Emeric against H. V. Alvarado, which involved the title to considerable land in Contra Costa county and which has been in the courts for over fifteen years, has been finally settled, and Judge Maguire of the Superior Court of San Francisco will to-day sign the findings. The suit is decided in favor of the plaintiff.


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## Dressmaking.

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MISSES C. AND A. ROSENBERG modistes lately from New York City; evening dresses a specialty; 523 Tenth street, near Clay, Oakland, Cal. my22-xc

## Musical.

MISS M. L. KIMBALL, TEACHER of piano, harp, violin, guitar, and banjo; also a beautiful harp for sale cheap. Inquire at 508 Eighth street, Oakland, Cal. se12-xc

D. P. HUGHES (MUSICAL DIRECtor Harmonic Society), teacher of formation and cultivation of the voice; residence 20 Myrtle st., bet. Tenth and Twelfth. fe20

## Insurance Companies.

COMMERCIAL INSURANCE COMpany, California—B. R. LATON, Agent 463 Ninth street, Oakland. my22-c

## Furnished Rooms.

A GENTLEMAN AND WIFE WISHing furnished rooms in a neat cottage with everything complete for housekeeping; can apply at 549 Chartres street for Twenty-second, between Telegraph avenue and Grove street; reference exchanged. ja4-1wx

FOR RENT TO GENTLEMEN—Three pleasant, sunny, furnished rooms, with hot and cold water and grate; rent from $9 to $12 50; three blocks from Adeline street station; reference required. 945 Chestnut street, near Telegraph. de31-1wx

FURNISHED ROOMS, TWO ROOMS, single or together, with or without board; suitable for gentleman or wife; two gentlemen. Apply at 922 Kirkham street. de12-o

FURNISHED ROOMS MADE COMfortable and will rent quick by getting stylish furniture, good and cheap, at H. SCHELLHAAS'S, 408 Eleventh street. Remember, no orders take at our shop on side street.

PART OF A NICELY FURNISHED sunny flat for rent; reasonable to desirable parties; no children. Apply at 628 Fourteenth street, corner Grove. de29-1wx

PLEASANT FURNISHED ROOMS by the day, week or month. It is very desirable location; convenient to rushes; east part of the city; price $1 50 per week; 504 Thirteenth street, corner Washington. Mrs. D. W. FOOTE, Proprietress. de16

THREE HANDSOMELY FURnished rooms for rent; centrally located; convenient to a first class boarding house; within three minutes' walk of the narrow gauge depot; terms moderate. Apply at 522 Eighteenth st., bet. Sanpablo and Telegraph avenues; only gentlemen need apply. ja4-o

TO LET—FURNISHED—ELEGANT suite of rooms, with bath; cheap. 308 Fourteenth street, near Harrison. ja4-2wx

TO LET—ONE LARGE FRONT alcove room, completely furnished; convenient and sunny; rent for single room is $4 a month; and $9 a month; and one for two; furnished nicely. Inquire at 1161 Fifth street, corner Adeline. ja2-1wx

TO LET—TWO FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping, with bath room connecting them; suitable for man and wife or two ladies; no children. Apply at 522 Twenty-fourth street, first door from Telegraph ave. 26-o

WANTED—TWO GENTLEMEN OR gentlemen and wife can be accommodated in private family with room and board; one or two furnished rooms; best of accommodations and comforts of a home. 715 Jefferson street. ja5-1wx

TO LET FURNISHED—A SUNNY cottage of five rooms and bath to adults only; rent $20; 1219 Market street. ja5-1wx

## Unfurnished Rooms.

TO LET UNFURNISHED—SUITES of rooms suitable for offices and living; rent reasonable. 1004 Broadway, corner Twelfth street, over bank. Inquire at room 15, upstairs. de29-1w

## Rooms and Boarding.

FURNISHED ROOMS WITH FIRST class board, at 577 Twelfth street; private coarding house. de31-1wx

LA CLEDE HOUSE, 1116 Broadway First class table; rooms with or without board

MARKET STREET HOUSE, 8TH and Market streets; newly furnished with all the comforts of a home. Rooms in suits or single.

ROSE HOTEL, PLASANTON, ALAMEDA COUNTY. Being a summer and winter resort is open for guests the year round. Large playgrounds, and everything to make it pleasant for families. Climate is surpassed by all the year round. Everything first class. Terms low. Commutation tickets. San Francisco per month, $13. Colonel J. PULLEN, proprietor. se24-o

TO LET—A FRONT, SUNNY, BAY window room, with board, suitable for two persons, near Market street station; terms reasonable; references required. Apply at 726 Eleventh street. de28-1wx

THE MARTIN HOUSE, 574 THIRteenth street, has been thoroughly renovated. Pleasant sunny rooms, with bath and cold water, with board at reasonable rates; table boarders a specialty. MRS. OLLIE LEMON, proprietress.

WERER'S HOTEL, Corner Twelfth and Franklin Sts. Best appointed second class hotel in Oakland Prices reasonable. CH. S. H. PFEIFFER.

## Houses to Rent.

A COTTAGE HOUSE OF FIVE rooms and bath to let; good location; commodious grounds; furniture in house good, and almost new, for sale. Address FURNITURE, box 1, TRIBUNE office. de24-o

FOR RENT — FLATS OF THREE and four rooms each; for housekeeping. In the Hamilton block, corner Nineteenth street and San Pablo avenue. Apply at 1563 San Pablo avenue, or to J. J. HANIFIN. jy21-o

HOUSE TO RENT, WITH STABLE, 1221 Telegraph avenue, corner Thirteenth street; carpets will be sold very cheap if desired. Apply after 6 P. M. on premises. ja2-1wx

HOUSE TO RENT AND FOR SALE. Apply to DR. SAM. MERRITT, Madison street. ja5

## Houses Wanted

WANTED TO RENT — COMfortably furnished house for three months or longer; five to seven rooms; centrally located; terms moderate; no children. Address P. O. box 808, Oakland. ja2-1wx

## Halls to Rent

FOR RENT—MOZART HALL FOR socials, parties, dances, lodge meetings; Adeline station, seventh street. de3-1wx

GRAND ARMY HALL TO LET—ON Sundays and Sundays and evenings. Apply at 1116 Broadway. oc11-o

## Stores to Rent.

HALF STORE FOR RENT—APPLY at 966 Washington street, between Ninth and Tenth. ja4-1wx

TWO STORES ON EAST 12TH ST. & 11th av; rent $16. Apply 469 12th. o20-o

## Stores Wanted.

WANTED FOR RENT — BY A practical baker, having a first class route in Oakland and East Oakland, a bake shop and store with American oven; or would rent shop and store from a party that will build an oven. Address B. K., box 5, TRIBUNE office. ja4-1wx

## Builders.

D. K. ALLEN, CARPENTER, builder and general jobber, Shop, 606 Thirteenth street. ja30

R. WALKER, CARPENTER AND builder; manufacturer of the new patent combination extension and step ladder; the Star incubator, Batchelder's model hatcher, a specialty; all orders promptly filled by R. WALKER, 364 Twelfth street, Oakland. fe22

W. T. VEITCH, CONTRACTOR AND Builder. Office 1164 and 1166 Webster street au11

## Searchers of Records.

DU RAY SMITH, SEARCHER OF Records and Conveyancer, Alameda county Office, No. 459 Ninth street, bet. Broadway and Washington, Oakland. ja6

G. W. M'KEANE, SEARCHER OF Records for Alameda county. Residence, 810 Thirteenth street; office, near Market street, southeast corner Fourth and Broadway, Oakland.

STOCKER & SCHRAMM (SUCCESsors to Lawrie & Schramm), Searchers of Records for Alameda county, 804 Broadway, Oakland, Cal. Established 1885.

## Architects

W. W. GOODRICH, ARCHITECT and Sanitary Engineer, 1004 Broadway. Oakland, Cal. ja10

## Real Estate.

AN IDEAL HOME — 1800 FEET altitude; no fogs and no cold winds; no early and no late frost; a remarkably equable, salubrious climate; 104 acres superior vine and fruit land, with southeastern and southern exposure, in the warm belt on the sunny slopes at the base of Cobb mountain, Lake county, six miles from Middletown, one and one half miles from Anderson's Springs, and twenty miles from Calistoga; about forty acres fenced; twenty-five acres cleared; nearly all tillable; rolling land; 600 full bearing vines (table grapes); 300 bearing trees, assorted varieties; a mountain stream, from which water is taken and conducted through a ditch; many springs of soft, cold water; a five room house (ordinary); situated in a grove of wide spreading black oaks, and commanding an extended and unsurpassed view of mountains, hills, and valleys; a new stable for six animals; strawberries and all other berries and fruits grow exceptionally well; plenty of timber for domestic purposes; title U. S. patent; would make a first class summer resort, nursery, or general fruit farm. Its fine climate, good soil, splendid water privileges, beautiful panorama, picturesqueness, and other natural attractions cannot be duplicated. Price $3360; one half cash, balance in one and two years. For further particulars apply at TRIBUNE office aug6-o

$1000—Campbell street, near Fifteenth; fine lot 31x125; street work all done; installments.

$3600—Nice modern style cottage of 5 rooms and bath; lot 35x115; in a good location on Union street. 705

$1500—House of 3 rooms, lot 25x100; sunny side street; street newly macadamized and sewered; Clifton street, between Market st. and San Pablo ave. 1481

$2500—Beautiful place, cottage of 5 rooms, stable and tank, large lot 50x118, on Twenty-fifth street. (351)

$3200—Rents for $30 a month, house of 7 rooms in the heart of the city, on Alice street, near Twelfth.

$60 a foot—Southeast corner Eighth and Campbell streets.

H. J. McAVOY, Real Estate, Insurance and General Business Agency, 877 Washington street, between Seventh and Eighth, Oakland, Alameda county, Cal.

FOR SALE—BY J. W. MOSS, REAL estate agent, 968 Broadway, between Ninth and Tenth streets.

$800—Lot 51x104; west side of West street, between Thirtieth and Thirty-second streets.

$2000—Lot 56x126; house of 5 rooms; on Moss avenue.

$4500—House of 8 rooms; lot 35x125; west side of Market street, near Nineteenth.

$1350—House of 4 rooms; lot 33x125; Filbert street, between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-sixth.

$1000—House of 4 rooms; north side 28th street, bet. Market and Myrtle.

$4000—Lot 50x125; house of 7 rooms; west side of Linden street, between Fourteenth and Sixteenth streets.

Also bargains in business and residence property in all parts of Oakland and vicinity.

Farming lands in different portions of the State. Money to loan in all sums. Conveyancing accurately done.

J. W. MOSS, Real Estate Agent and Notary Public, 958 Broadway.

FOR EXCHANGE—FROM $3000 TO $50,000—We now offer in exchange for Oakland property, several desirable fruit farms in Napa county, some of which are near the city of Napa, and are producing good incomes. This is a rare opportunity for those wishing to obtain a pleasant home and a good income, while such property is cheap. We also have a good list of desirable property in city and county for sale at very reasonable prices. Apply to O. C. LOGAN & CO., 461 Ninth street, Oakland.

NOTICE TO REAL ESTATE agents—We are now prepared to furnish up cottages in all grades of furniture and carpets; liberal commission allowed; bring on your Eastern people and we will use them well. H. SCHELLHAAS, 408 Eleventh st.

## County Real Estate.

THOMAS C. ARMSTRONG, REAL Estate Agency, Haywards, has property in all portions of Alameda county; don't negotiate without conferring with T. C. Armstrong, Haywards. my2-o

## Attorneys.

C. G. DODGE, ATTORNEY AT LAW 905 Broadway, rooms 17, Blake & Moffitt building.

CHARLES L. COLVIN, ATTORNEY-at-Law and Notary Public, office 2½ Broadway, rooms 7 and 8, Oakland. ja2-xc

C. T. JOHNS, ATTORNEY AT LAW, 966 Broadway, Oakland. ac24-o

EDWARD C. ROBINSON, ATTORney at Law, rooms 19 and 20, Blake and Moffitt building, corner Eighth and Broadway, Oakland.

FREDERICK E. WHITNEY, ATtorney at Law, notary public, Court Commissioner of Alameda county, 908 Broadway, rooms 27 and 28, Oakland, Cal. au27

FRED L. BUTTON, ATTORNEY AT law and Notary Public, 969 Broadway, Lower Tenth, Oakland, Cal. se13

FRANK B. OGDEN, ATTORNEY and Counselor at Law and Notary Public; 884½ Broadway, room 45. jan6-6

GEORGE W. LAGAN, ATTORNEY and Counselor at Law, Livermore, Alameda Co., Cal.

GEORGE E. DE GOLIA, ATTORney at Law, Court House, room 3, telephone 19, Oakland. oc23

JAMES K. PEIRSOL, ATTORNEY at Law, rooms 26 and 27, 957 Broadway, Oakland. my10

J. E. McELRATH, ATTORNEY AT Law, rooms 9 and 10 Blake-Moffit building, cor. Broadway and Eighth st., Oakland. ap1

J. C. PLUNKETT, ATTORNEY AT law, northeast corner Broadway and Seventh street, rooms 5 and 6, Oakland, Cal. money to loan on real estate. je7o

J. A. ROBINSON, 509 MONTGOMery street, rooms 3 and 4, San Francisco

LIN S. CHURCH—WITE J. C. MARtin, 921 Broadway, rooms 15 and 16.

M. C. CHAPMAN, ATTORNEY AT Law, 906 Broadway, rooms 15 and 16, Blake & Moffitt building.

MORROW & STRATTON, ATTORneys at Law, 825 Montgomery street, San Francisco. Entrance, room 32. no16-o

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MOORE & REED, SOUTHEAST COR Ninth and Broadway

NYE AND RICHARDSON, ROOMS 8, 9, and 10, 456 Eighth street, Oakland

R. M. FITZGERALD, ATTORNEY at Law, 854½ Broadway, rooms 1 and 2, Oakland, Cal. je2

SAMUEL BELL McKEE JR., ATtorney at Law, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal. ap10

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SHARP AND BOLTON, ATTORneys at law; 300 Broadway, corner Fifth, Oakland. feb4

THOS. F. GRABER, ATTORNEY at Law, rooms 7 and 8, 854½ Broadway, corner Seventh street Oakland, Cal. fe19

## Notaries Public.

H. J. M'AVOY, NOTARY PUBLIC and Conveyancer, 877 Washington street jy23

P. D. BROWNE, SUCCESSOR TO W. K. Bowell, notary public and conveyancer. Wills, deeds, mortgages, and legal papers carefully drawn; 458 Ninth street, between Broadway and Washington. oc31-xc

WM. J. DINGEE, OFFICE, 460 AND 462 Eighth street

## Lost and Found.

LOST—ON SUNDAY LAST—A GOLD sleeve button, with initial M. N. in large dark letters. Finder will be rewarded by leaving the same at the TRIBUNE office, or 1213 Fifteenth avenue, East Oakland. ja4-1wx

LOST—A SEAL SKIN CAPE, BEtween Twenty-eighth street and Broadway to Durant street to Franklin street, to narrow gauge depot. A reward will be paid on return to 1925 Webster street. ja3-1wx

LOST—A LADY'S GOLD WATCH with initials on, going from Twenty-first and Market streets to Thirty-second and Chestnut streets; a liberal reward will be paid if returned to 2116 Chestnut street, between Thirty-second and Thirty-fourth sts. ja2-o

LOST—A LEATHER PURSE CONtaining $15 in gold and about $3 in silver, yesterday morning, between Brush street and the postoffice. Will the finder please call at 458 Ninth street and receive a reward. de31-1wx

LOST—ON SUNDAY, DECEMBER 16th, on the 11 o'clock train to East Oakland from San Francisco—a lady's rubber coat resembling on one side a ribbed dress goods. The reward will be more than the price of the coat if returned to JONAS BROS., corner Eighth and Broadway. de26-o

## Spiritualism.

MRS. H. A. TURNER, CLAIRVOYant, business and spirit medium, 560 Twenty-fourth street, Oakland; take Telegraph avenue cars.

## Physicians.

AGNEW, DR. W. P., PHYSICIAN and Surgeon; office and res. 1155 Broadway

B. T. MOUSER, M. D., EYE, EAR, and throat; office and residence, corner Telegraph and Short lines avenues; hours, 8 to 9 A. M., 3 to 5 and 6 to 7 P. M.; Telephone 637. ja31

C. L. M'CRACKEN, M. D., OFFICE 969 Broadway, rooms 47 and 48. Office hours 11 to 12 M., 2 to 4, and 7 to 8 P. M.

DOCTOR MURPHY, PHYSICIAN and Surgeon; registered, and has been in practice during the past sixteen years in London, Dublin, and the Australian Colonies; office, rooms 5 and 6, Playter Block; entrance from San Pablo and Telegraph avenues; hours, 10 to 11 A. M., 2 to 3 and 7 to 8 P. M.; residence, 1716 San Pablo avenue near Twenty-fourth street, Oakland. ai1-o

FALL, E. E.—OFFICE 854½ BROADway, rooms 3 and 4; hours 9 to 11 A. M., 2 to 4 and 7:30 to 9 P. M.; residence Gazette Hotel. Late of New York Infant Asylum and Chambers Street Hospital.

J. H. WYTHE, M. D. — PHYSICIAN and surgeon; office and residence 492 Fourteenth street, above Market; hours 9 to 11 A. M., and 3 to 5 P. M. Telephone 1091.

L. P. HESS, M. D., SURGEON AND physician, office and residence 1103½ Broadway; hours, 10 to 12 A. M., 2 to 4 and 7 to 8 P. M.

PLUMB, MARY C., M. D., GYNECOLOGIST, 1009 Broadway; hours, 1 to 4 P. M., Mon., Wed., and Fri. Uterine tumors, cancers and displacements successfully treated without the knife. Consultation free. ja16-o

SMITH, G. S., M. D., PHYSICIAN, Surgeon, and accoucheur; H. A. Trinity College, advisory diploma; Rotundia Lying-in Hospital, Dublin, Ireland; hours, 8 to 9 A. M., 12 to 2 and 7 to 8 P. M.; residence REMOVED to 1002 ADELINE street

## Physicians' Directory.

MEMBERS ALAMEDA CO. MEDICAL ASSOCIATION

ADAMS, G. B.—OFFICE AND RESIdence 1014 Broadway; hours, 10 A. M. to 12 M., to 4 and 6 to 7:30 P. M. Telephone 229.

A. M. TAYLOR, M. D. SURGEON and Physician, San Leandro; office in Dickinson's Drug Store; hours from 11 to 12 A. M. and 4 to 5 and 7 to 8 P. M. Residence, Estudillo avenue. oc4

ADAMS, F. L.—OFFICE, TWELFTH and Broadway; hours, 10 to 11 A. M., and 4 to 5 P. M. Residence, S. W. corner Clay and Seventeenth streets.

BRADWAY, J. R.—OFFICE 1009½ Broadway; hours 9 to 10 A. M. 1 to 3 and 7:30 to 9 P. M. Residence 710 Tenth street.

MILLER, H. E. — OFFICE AND residence 1155 Broadway, rooms 20 and 21 hours 2 to 4, and 7 and 8 P. M. Telephone 31

PINKERTON, T. B.—OFFICE NO 1155 Broadway, corner of Thirteenth st. hours 12 M. to 2 P. M.

SOUTHARD, W. F.—OFFICE, 1155 Broadway; residence, 1203 Castro street. Hours, 10 to 12 A. M., 1 to 3 P. M. Sundays, 1 to 3 P. M. Eye, Ear, and Throat.

## Eclectic Physicians.

DR. JENNIE P. WEBB HAS removed her office to the Davis block, corner of Eleventh and Washington streets, where she will be found during her office hours, 8 to 9 A. M. and 1 to 4 P. M. fe29-3a

JOHN FEARN, M. D. OFFICE COR. 10th and Washington sts. Hours 2 to 4 and 6:30 to 7:30 P. M. Sundays 9 to 10:45 A. M. only. Specialty chronic diseases and children's diseases.

A. F. CHILDS

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A. J. MacMURTREY, PROPRIETOR.

OAK BAKERY, 478 EIGHTH STREET, Corner of Washington Street.

THE BEST HOME-MADE BREAD--Thirty Loaves for One Dollar, Three Loaves for Ten Cents; Every Loaf Warranted Full Weight. Doughnuts 10 Cents per Dozen. Extra in Size and Quality. All kinds of Pies and Cakes made to order. Brown Bread and Baked Beans every Saturday. Daily Delivery to all parts of the City.

## HOLIDAYS AT THE MISSION.

**A Merry Time Among the Olive Trees and the Vines.**

Yes! Mission San Jose, way up there on the foothills off to the left as you pass Niles going to San Jose, and very few, except those having business or friends to call them in that direction, know half the beauty of location, climate, or the panoramic view of the valley below. It is a quiet place, but the holiday season brought us the usual stir, especially among the younger portion of the community. The season was opened Christmas eve by the Congregational Sunday school at the schoolhouse. The weather, although threatening, cleared off enough to permit a full house. The decorations were pretty and graceful. The song service, "Prince of David," was rendered with animation. The solo, "Beyond," by Miss Edith Bergman, was good. Fred Turner sang "Sweet Guiding Star" in a clear and steady boyish voice, and repeated afterward by request his song. The trio "Hear Me Savior" by Florence Bergman and Lizzie Jansen, soprano, Maud Stanley alto, was charming. The address by Mr. Hiven, the pastor, was apt and instructive. Mrs. J. Stanley officiated at the organ. Mrs. Turner and Mrs. Hibbard directed the school.

The chorus by the infant class, the children with their sashes decorated with holly was very interesting and pretty. This ended, the large folding doors were thrown open, Twin trees loaded with candy bags, dolls, popcorn, a table loaded with books and other presents, and Santa Claus flying around trying to please every one, and caps of every shape and hue from a dunce's to a cardinal's, and lots of pretty plush and ribbon and other things made every one go home happy.

The Catholic Sunday School gave a literary entertainment which was a very successful affair, and notwithstanding the unfavorable weather the house was crowded. The programme was varied, good singing and recitations constituting an important part.

The young men celebrated the close of leap year with a supper at Workmen's Hall New Year's eve.

New Year's night, wandering in the vicinity of the residence of Public Administrator James Stanley, was seen a spectre all in white, not only one, but two or three that way, four or five another, gliding silently, awfully, seemingly attracted by the joyful sounds and bright lights coming from the domicile of Mr. Stanley. Of all ghosts, these were the jolliest. Tall and short thick and thin, dancing and capering and shaking hands, soon shed their ghostly habiliments, and had no end of fun.

Mission Lodge, No. 56, Workmen have a public installation on Saturday the 5th inst.

Allie Ehrman, who has been numbered among the ailing for some time around, and although looking shaky is improving.

Mrs. Merritt is recovering from a severe attack of neuralgia.

George Stanley is also recovering from a serious illness. CRICKET.

## THE NEW CHARTER.

**The Mayor's Certificate of Its Adoption.**

The following certificate of the adoption of the new charter has been prepared by the Mayor and a copy of the same was filed with the County Clerk, while another will be forwarded to Sacramento:

I, Charles D. Pierce, Mayor of the city of Oakland, do hereby certify that in accordance with the terms and provisions of "Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 16," approved March 10, 1887, the Council of the city of Oakland duly passed a resolution providing for the holding of a special election on the 10th day of December, A. D. 1887, for the purpose of electing fifteen freeholders to prepare and propose a charter for the city of Oakland, that due notice of said election was given in the manner provided by law; that on said 10th day of December, A. D. 1887, said election was held, and the ballots cast thereat were duly canvassed by the Council of the city of Oakland, and the following named persons were declared duly elected to prepare and propose a charter for the city of Oakland, to wit: John A. Stanly, John L. Bromley, J. T. Carothers, Wallace Everson, J. A. Folger, John K. Glascock, V. D. Moody, Warren Olney, C. D. Pierce, H. A. Powell, E. T. Pringle, Patrick Scully, N. W. Spaulding, William C. Bartlett, John H. Troy; that thereafter, to wit, on the 9th day of March, A. D. 1888, said Board of Freeholders duly returned a proposed charter for said city of Oakland, signed in duplicate by the said board, one copy thereof to the Mayor of said city; that thereafter said proposed charter was duly published in two daily papers of general circulation in said city, to wit, in the *Morning Times* and *Evening Enquirer*—for a period of twenty days (Sundays excepted), said publication in each instance commencing within twenty days after the completion of said charter; that thereafter and within thirty days after the completion of said publication, to wit, on the 6th day of November, A. D. 1888, at a special election duly called by the Council of the city of Oakland, the said proposed charter was submitted to the qualified electors of the city of Oakland, and the returns of said election were duly canvassed by the Council of the city of Oakland at its meeting held November 19th, 1888, and the result of said election was found to be as follows: In favor of said charter, 4158 votes; against said charter, 1955 votes; majority in favor of said charter, 2198 votes; whereupon the said charter was declared duly ratified by a majority of the qualified electors voting at said election.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the corporate seal of said city, at my office, this 3d day of January, A. D. 1889.

CHARLES D. PIERCE,
Mayor of the city of Oakland.

## HELP ONE ANOTHER.

**The Success of a New Local Building Association.**

The People's Building and Loan Association of Oakland has been recently incorporated with the following gentlemen as officers: J. W. Phillips, President; George C. Pardee, M. D., Vice President; E. P. Vandercook, Treasurer; A. A. Dewing, Secretary; S. B. McKee and Charles E. Snook, Attorneys.

These associations have long been known as a means of securing money upon the most reasonable terms for building purposes. This association, although but recently established, has commenced under very favorable circumstances. The office is located at 458 Ninth street, where further particulars may be obtained. The following directors have charge of the affairs of the company: J. W. Phillips, Judge J. P. Ames, C. E. White, Judge C. E. Snook, E. P. Vandercook, George C. Pardee, J. S. White, George A. Penniman, D. W. Kickland.

**Suing for a Separation.**

Fannie A. Hannay has sued Edward I. Hannay for a divorce on the ground of failure to provide.

Sarah A. Lewis also seeks a legal separation from William R. Lewis on the ground of cruelty. The defendant is a clerk in a store on Broadway.

**Minor's Property.**

R. E. Bush has applied to be appointed guardian of the Winchester children, whose father died in Oregon. The minors have an estate in this county which needs attention.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

### SUN AND TIDE TABLE.

| Jan | H. W. Large. | L. W. Large. | H. W. Small. | L. W. Small. | Sun R. | Sun S. |
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| 5 | 1.56 P | 8.32 P | 7.26 A | 8.03 A | 7.26 | 5.05 |
| | Small. | | Large. | | | |
| 6 | 2.50 P | 9.16 P | 4.36 A | 8.08 A | 7.26 | 5.06 |
| 7 | 4.01 P | 10.09 P | 4.46 A | 9.21 A | 7.26 | 5.07 |
| 8 | 5.14 P | 10.58 P | 5.27 A | 11.37 A | 7.26 | 5.08 |
| 9 | 6.36 P | 11.45 P | 6.10 A | 0.37 P | 7.26 | 5.09 |
| 10 | 8.00 P | A. M. | 8.49 A | 1.36 P | 7.25 | 5.10 |
| | | Small. | | Large. | | |
| 11 | 9.16 P | 0.37 A | 7.26 A | 2.25 A | 7.25 | 5.11 |

### STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

TO ARRIVE.

| NAME. | FROM. | DATE. |
|---|---|---|
| Pomona | Eureka | Jan. 9 |
| City of Puebla | San Diego | Jan. 7 |
| Walla Walla | Victoria | Jan. 8 |
| State of California | Portland | Jan. 10 |
| Humboldt | Eureka | Jan. 10 |
| San Jose | Panama* | Jan. 10 |

TO DEPART.

| NAME. | FOR. | DATE. |
|---|---|---|
| Columbia | Portland | Jan. 6 |
| Pomona | Eureka | Jan 9 |

*And way ports.

### SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

San Francisco.....January 5, 1889

**Arrived.**

FRIDAY, January 4th.

Stmr Corona, Goodell, 67 days from Philadelphia via Valparaiso 26 days; pass and mdse, to Goodall, Perkins & Co.

Stmr Coos Bay, Leland, 25 hours from Fort Bragg; pass and mdse, to Goodall, Perkins & Co.

Stmr Newport, Nicholson, 54 hours from Newport; produce, to Goodall, Perkins & Co.

Stmr Caspar, Andrinson, 31 hours from Caspar; 820 M feet lumber, to the Caspar Lumber Co.

Haw stmr Costa Rica, Salmond, 4 days from Nanaimo; 2144 tons coal, to John Rosenfeld's Sons.

Stmr Tillamook, Minor, 36 hours from San Pedro; ballast, to Pollard & Dodge.

**Cleared.**

FRIDAY, January 4th.

Br ship Thesalus, Bennett, Queenstown; Balfour, Guthrie & Co.

Ger ship Adelaide, Braun, Queenstown; Balfour, Guthrie & Co.

Br ship Mount Carmel, Livingston, Havre; Eppinger & Co.

Ship A G Kopes, Rives, Liverpool; C R Stone.

Br bark Orellana, Gibb, Callao, Meyer; Wilson & Co.

**Sailed.**

FRIDAY, January 4th.

Stmr Mexico, Huntington, Victoria, etc.
Stmr South Coast, Higgins.
Stmr Gipsy, Trimmier, Santa Cruz.
Mex stmr Alejandro, Garcia, Ensenada.
Schr Kapiolani, Bulcher, Fort Ross.
Schr Laura Pike, Anderson, Humboldt.

☞ NOTICE—For births, marriages, and deaths too late for this column see fifth or eighth page.

### BORN.

VANDERCOOK—In this city, January 4, to the wife of F. H. Vandercook, a daughter.
ASCHNAUM—In San Francisco, January 3, to the wife of W. Aschnaum, a son.
STOCKTON—In San Francisco, January 3, to the wife of Henry J. Stockton, a daughter.
TRAVERS—In San Francisco, January 1, to the wife of Perry B. Travers, a son.
SCHOENFELD—In San Francisco, January 3, to the wife of A. Schoenfeld, a daughter.
LAWLOR—In San Francisco January 3, to the wife of J. F. Lawlor, a daughter.
WEISS—In San Francisco, January 3, to the wife of M. Weiss, a son.
MCCOY—In San Francisco, January 4, to the wife of Frank McCoy, a daughter.
McKEE—In Bolinas, December 5, to the wife of Charles McKee, a son.
WATSON—In San Francisco, December 24, to the wife of Fred Z. Watson, a son.

### MARRIED.

CARSTENSEN-LARSEN—In this city, January 3, John Carstensen and Annie Marie Larsen.
COHEN-SIGUBENER—In San Francisco, December 30, Solomon Cohen and Lizzie Siguberner.
DAVIS-SNOW—In San Francisco, January 3, Charles Davis and Emily Snow.
SWENSON-SKALSTAD—In San Francisco, January 3, John Swenson and August Skalstad.
PRUETT-PLASS—In San Jose, January 1, Joseph Pruett and Bertha Plass.
WILLIAMS-TIMOTHY—In San Francisco, December 20, Thomas H. Williams and Lizzie Timothy.
HYMAN-BERNARD—In San Francisco, December 16, Joe Hyman and Rebecca Bernard.

### DIED.

ELLIS—At San Quentin, January 3, Marco M. Ellis, a native of San Francisco, aged 20 years and 6 months.
HIGGINS—In San Francisco, January 3, Frank J. Higgins, a native of California, aged 31 years, 5 months, and 15 days.
STUDLEY—In San Francisco, January 4, Mrs. Rachel W. Studley, a native of Massachusetts, aged 76 years, 9 months, and 10 days.
McINTYRE—In San Francisco, January 4, Mrs. Honorah McIntyre, a native of Ireland, aged 41 years and 10 months.
KEARNEY—In San Francisco, January 4, Mrs. Agnes Kearney, a native of Ireland, aged 41 years, 7 months, and 22 days.
COLLINS—In San Francisco, January 4, Nelly Collins, a native of Ireland, aged 36 years and 4 months.
VINING—In San Francisco, January 4, George Harwood Vining, a native of Massachusetts, aged 44 years, 5 months, and 12 days.
ROSS—In San Francisco, January 3, James A. Ross, a native of Scotland, aged 24 years.
ROSENBLATT—In St. Louis, December 26, Myer A. Rosenblatt, aged 45 years.
BRUSH—In Baltimore, Md., November 29, Charles W. Brush, late of San Francisco.
PARSONS—In San Francisco, January 3, Edward Leland, infant son of William and May Parsons, aged 6 months and 25 days.
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SATURDAY..., JANUARY 5, 1889

## An English Philosopher on America.

It is a notable fact that the two most important books dealing with American institutions were written by foreigners. De Tocqueville's "Democracy in America" has hitherto been regarded as the standard authority on that subject, but its place will be very largely taken by Professor Bryce's book, "The American Commonwealth," which has just been published. There is no doubt that an outside point of view conduces to a calm philosophy, such as we find in Mr. Bryce's great work, and Americans will be glad to hear what an impartial observer not subject to their institutions has to say about them. Mr. Bryce is unusually well qualified for this work, being professor of civil law at Oxford, a member of the English parliament, and thoroughly familiar with this country from study and personal observation. He has much that is pleasant to say: "America excites an admiration which must be felt on the spot to be understood. The hopefulness of her people communicates itself to one who lives among them, and makes him perceive that the graver faults of politics may be far less dangerous there than they would be in Europe. A hundred times in writing this work have I been disenheartened by the facts I was stating; a hundred times has the recollection of the abounding strength and vitality of the nation chased away these tremors."

Mr. Bryce institutes an interesting comparison between Congress and Parliament. He finds that while we have no great lights in our legislative bodies like Gladstone or John Bright, yet the averge of ability is much higher in this country. "Putting the Senate beside the House of Commons, one may say that the average natural capacity of its seventy-six members is not above that of the seventy-six best men in the English House. There is more variety of talent in the latter, and a greater breadth of culture. On the other hand, the Senate excels in legal knowledge as well as in practical shrewdness. The House of Commons contains more men who could give a good address on a literary or historical subject, the Senate more who could either deliver a rousing popular harangue or manage the business of a great trading company, these being the forms of capacity commonest among Congressional politicians."

Concerning our Representatives in Congress, he says that they

Have almost certainly made their way by energy and smartness, picking up knowledge of men and things "all the time." In respect of width of view, capacity for penetrating thought on political problems, representatives are scarcely above the class from which they came, that of second rate lawyers, farmers, less often merchants or petty manufacturers. They do not present to be statesmen in the European sense of the word, for their careers, which have made them smart and active, have given them little opportunity for acquiring such capacities. As regards manners they are not polished, because they have not lived among polished people; yet neither are they rude, for to get on in American politics one must be civil and pleasant.

The prevalence of the impression in Europe and to some extent in this country that all our politics and politicians are corrupt, Mr. Bryce finds is largely due to our habit of self depreciation.

It is an impression for which the Americans themselves, with their airy way of talking about their own country, their fondness for broad effects, their enjoyment of a good story and humorous pleasure in exaggerations generally, are largely responsible. European visitors who, generally belonging to the wealthier classes, are generally reactionary in politics, and glad to find occasion for disparaging popular government, eagerly catch up and repeat the stories they are told in New York or San Francisco. European readers take literally the highly colored pictures of some American novels and assume that the descriptions there given of certain men and groups "inside politics"—descriptions legitimate enough in a novel—hold true of all men and groups following that unsavory trade. Europeans, moreover, and Englishmen certainly not less than other Europeans, have a useful knack of forgetting their own shortcomings when contemplating those of their neighbors; so you may hear men wax eloquent over the depravity of transatlantic politicians who will sail very near the wind in giving deceptive pledges to their own constituents, who will support flagrant jobs done on behalf of their own party, who will accept favors from and dine with, and receive at their own houses, financial speculators and members of the Legislature whose aims are just as base and whose standard is just as low as those of the worst Congressman that ever came to push his fortune in Washington.

Of course there is corruption, but as Mr. Bryce points it out it is very difficult to say how much or little there is. Few native Americans are qualified to measure it accurately, and very naturally it was more difficult for Mr. Bryce to arrive at an exact conclusion. While in England there is a habit of covering up such things the tendency here is to exaggerate them.

Mr. Boyce does not agree with De Tocqueville in his account of the tyranny of the majority in this country, and in support of his opinion he draws attention to the fact that the boycott was a failure in America and only succeeded in most cases in exciting indignation against its instigators and sympathy for its objects. "If social persecution exists in America to-day it is only in a few dark corners."

It must not be supposed that all is praise in this interesting book. He finds some faults:

Firstly, a certain commonness of mind and tone, a want of dignity and elevation in and about the conduct of public affairs, an insensibility to the nobler aspects and finer responsibilities of national life.

Secondly, a certain apathy among the luxurious classes and fastidious minds, who find themselves of no more account than the ordinary voter, and are disgusted with the superficial vulgarities of public life.

Thirdly, a want of knowledge, tact, and judgment in the details of legislation, as well as in administration, with an inadequate recognition of the difficulty of these kinds of work, and of the worth of special experience and skill in dealing with them. Because it is incompetent, the multitude will not feel its incompetence, and will not seek or defer to the counsels of those who possess the requisite capacity.

Fourthly, laxity in the management of public business. The persons entrusted with such business being only average men, thinking themselves, and thought of by others as average men, with a deficient sense of their high responsibilities, may succumb to the temptations which the control of legislation and the public funds present, in cases where persons of a more enlarged view and with more of a social reputation to support, would remain incorruptible. To suppress such derelictions of duty is every citizen's duty, but for that reason it is in large communities apt to be neglected. Thus the very causes which implant the mischief favor its growth.

Forty or fifty years ago American conceit was a by-word. Dickens satirized it unmercifully and we were angry for a awhile, but the fact that we wholly forgave him later is proof that this sentiment wanes rather than waxes. Placing himself in the position of an impartially rigorous censor from some other planet Mr. Bryce might say of the Americans that they are at this moment less piggishly supercilious than the Germans, less restlessly pretentious than the French, less pharisaically selfsatisfied than the English. Among the upper or better educated classes, glorification has died out, except, of course, in Fourth of July and other public addresses, when the scream of the National eagle must be heard. One sometimes find it replaced by undue self depreciation, with lamentations over the want of culture, the decline of faith, or the corruption of politics.

This is the judgment of a skilled thinker and a practiced observer.

### Why It Is So Young.

*New York Sun.*

Newton-near-Boston-near-Massachusetts had fun with itself on Thursday celebrating its two hundredth birthday. Newton is an amiable and attractive place of residence, but is much disfigured by Mugwumps. Otherwise it would probably be more than two hundred years old.

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### Some Lumber Camp Names.

*Santa Rosa Republican.*

A. Smirk, Abe Dollarhide, and Ad. Hiffleburn of Guerneville were in town Wednesday.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

—F. M. Smith and family of East Oakland are at the Murray Hill Hotel, New York City, for the winter.

—Miss Murray Guard of Oakland, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. C. Knickren, has returned to her home.

—J. Newhouse of Kansas City, Mo., and J. Nestlerode of Portoria, O., are visiting Rev. G. W. Bothwell, pastor of the Second Congregational Church.

### A Small Attendance.

Possibly it was the superabundance of other entertainments, or it might have been that the Oakland public are not inclined to patronize brass music of whatever merit, but at any rate the audience that assembled at Germania Hall last evening to witness the entertainment for the benefit of the Oakland City Band was a very meagre one. The Stirk family performed very cleverly on the slack wire on roller skates and on their bicycles, and gave a very pleasing exhibition of juggling, which was certainly no worse than much of the same nature that has gone before it. In addition to a musical programme there was dancing, and a score and a few odd couple passed the hours until way after midnight in the pleasures of a social dance.

### The Week of Prayer.

The general week of prayer which will begin to-morrow morning will be observed in the various churches in Oakland by meetings each night except Saturday next. The services will consist of discourses on various subjects of interest with the usual evening exercises of music. In all cases the services will be conducted by the pastors of the various churches with probably one exception, in the case of Rev. Dr. Dille of the First Methodist Episcopal Church, who is ill. Dr. Dille may have some one to assist him.

### Miss Northey's Benefit.

The young and accomplished vocalist of local renown, Miss Carrie Northey, will receive a complimentary benefit at the Oakland Theater this evening. She brings with her from the East a quantity of highly flattering notices, won from the newspapers of those cities where she sang before returning home. During her brief visit to her home the people will at least be given one opportunity to judge for themselves the capabilities of this young singer.

### Trouble in Denmark.

Something happened at Dania Hall, yesterday afternoon between members of a Danish Society meeting there, making it necessary to eject L. R. Wilson, and the services of the janitor, E. Carlson were called into requisition. Carlson employed a cane in the work of ejectment, and applied it so forcibly to Wilson's head that the latter swore out a warrant this morning for his arrest for battery. Carlson put up $30 bail to secure his appearance Monday, and Wilson is in the meantime nursing a sore cheek which came in contact with Carlson's cane.

### All to His Widow.

The will of W. A. Allen has been filed for probate in the Superior Court. The estate is valued at $700, and is bequeathed to the widow, who is 87 years of age. She declines to act as executrix, and asks that letters be issued to Henry Rolin.

### City Prison Provender.

The larder of the City Prison during the year 1888 has cost to keep it supplied with provisions for prisoners, the sum of $2062 83.

## COUNTY EDUCATORS.

### Certificates Granted at the Meeting This Afternoon.

The County Board of Education held a special meeting this afternoon in the Courthouse. Alexander C. Harris was granted a grammar school course certificate. Grammar grade certificates were granted to Philoma S. Perkins, nee Sawyer, William M. Greenwell, Mary L. Teel, Andrea Norton, and Mrs. B. I. Madsen.

Alice H. Cohen and Bertha T. Voebnar were recommended to the State Board for life diplomas, and Kate Gilbert, Etta H. Jackson and Helen A. Robbins were recommended for educational diplomas.

The certificates of Etta H. Jackson and Alice H. Cohen were renewed and a temporary certificate was granted to Louise Hibbard.

Grammar school diplomas were granted to Thomas Bliss and Edmond Southwick, both of Niles.

The board adjourned to meet on the 9th inst. to hear the final report of the Committee on Course of Study and Rules and Regulations.

## TESTING THE POINT.

### Is a Cross-Complaint Proper in a Suit for Divorce?

A few weeks ago Juliet H. Stark commenced suit for a divorce against John C. Stark on the ground of failure to provide. She also asked to be awarded the community property and the custody of the minor child. Stark denies the charge made by his wife and filed an answer and a cross-complaint in which he seeks affirmative relief. This morning the attorney for the plaintiff gave notice that on January 14th he will move the court to strike out the cross-complaint on various grounds. The principal ground of the motion, however, is that no cross-complaint can properly be served or filed in an action for divorce. This raises a very interesting point which no doubt will be ably argued, as D. M. Delmas represents the wife, and A. A. Moore appears for the husband.

### Self-Dependence.

"Weary of myself and sick of asking
What I am, and what I ought to be,
At this vessel's prow I stand, which bears me
Forward, forward, o'er the starlit sea.

"And a look of passionate desire
O'er the sea and to the stars I send:
"Ye who from my childhood up have calmed me,
Calm me, ah, compose me to the end!"

"Ah, once more," I cried, "ye stars, ye waters,
On my heart your mighty charm renew;
Still, still let me, as I gaze upon you
Feel my soul becoming vast like you!"

"From the intense, clear, star-sown vault of heaven,
Over the lit sea's unquiet way,
In the rustling night air came the answer:
"Wouldst thou be as these are? Live as they.

"Unaffrighted by the silence round them,
Undisturbed by the sounds they see,
These demand not that the things without them
Yield them love, amusement, sympathy.

"And with joy the stars perform their shining,
And the sea its long moon-silvered roll;
For self-poised they live, nor pine with noting
All the fever of some differing soul.

"Bound by themselves, and unregardful
In what state God's other works may be,
In their own tasks all their powers pouring,
These attain the mighty life you see."

O air-born voice! long since, severely clear,
A cry like thine in mine own heart I hear:
"Resolve to be thyself; and know that he
Who finds himself loses his misery."

—*Matthew Arnold.*

### A Watts Tract Elopement.

The latest sensation in the Watts tract is the elopement of Mrs. J. E. Lewis, whose residence is at 449 Louisa street, the wife of a reputable mechanic, with a worthless fellow named William Tighe, alias Slayton, a tin horn gambler. The police pronounce the woman and her paramour as characters which the city profits by losing. The woman is the mother of two daughters who have nearly reached womanhood.

### Insane and Unknown.

A man who gave the name of Will Menesee tried to jump on the Livermore train yesterday afternoon when he was captured by Deputy Sheriff Shaffer. This morning he was committed to the Napa Asylum for the insane. The patient is violent at times. Nothing is known of the unfortunate man's relatives.

### A Police Sensation.

The occurrence of yesterday in the Police Court where every drunk pleaded guilty and quietly took his sentence without raising any disturbance or denying that he was drunk has been the talk in police circles ever since. However it has been discovered that the seven individuals were not drunk but that they were only fatigued, having walked a distance of over thirty miles into town. When questioned they said they had heard of the great bargains offered by a local furniture dealer and they had come all the way to Oakland to secure some of the extra low bargains which he offered. This dealer's name is Henry Schellhaas, and his place is at the corner of Eleventh and Franklin streets. He is known all over the country.

### Legislative Delegation.

The Legislators of Alameda county held a meeting yesterday and desired to have their pictures taken by Ormsby, the famous Oakland photographer of 1055 Broadway. These gentlemen know good pictures when they see them and act accordingly. Go to Ormsby for your pictures if you want to be suited.

### Journalism to Real Estate.

J. H. Jones, formerly connected with the San Francisco *Bulletin*, has entered the real estate business. His office is located at 411 California street, San Francisco, where he has a large line of Oakland and San Francisco property on sale.

### No Fancy Prices

For the fine furniture and other thixings you will find at H. SCHELLHAAS'S, 408 Eleventh street.

### Hopkins Academy,

The best school for boys. Next term begins on Tuesday, the 8th inst. W. W. Anderson, Principal.

CALL at The Mascot for fine Christmas candies and baskets, 1011 Broadway.

Oakland Loan Office for watches.

FANCY feathers at Miss M. Rey Wilson's, 1255 San Pablo ave., and 506 15 st.

### Nelson's Anyoose

Cures sore throat and don't you forget it; all druggists sell it.

### Superfluous Hair,

Moles, warts, naevi, or any excrescence of the skin permanently removed. Dr. Kaufman, Electrologist, 919 Webster street, near Ninth, Oakland.

THE Freethinkers of Oakland will be addressed Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at Odd Fellows' Hall, corner of Eleventh and Franklin streets, by S. P. Putnam of San Francisco, the well known liberal lecturer. His subject will be "The Dangers Ahead." Admission free.

USE Babbitt's Best Soap.

## FAIR TO SEE.

### The Buena Vista Rancho in Monterey County.

### Sheltered Nooks of the Rich Valley of the Salinas.

### A Wonderfully Rich Country Whose Development Has Yet Scarcely Begun.

"I must confess that it surprises me" said S. W. Fergusson of the firm of Briggs, Fergusson & Co., "it really astonishes me to see how much attention has been paid to southern counties and northern counties, and how carelessly investment has neglected Monterey county which is a land of remarkable wealth.

"If one wants pleasure there is no place better equipped than this same county. Along the coast line are to be found the Del Monte, Carmel Beach, Pacific Grove, places where millions have been invested for the sake of those seeking pleasure and health. This Buena Vista rancho of ours is within 15 miles of these charming watering places.

"Among the material advantages of the county are the famous Gilkshank gold mine, which is getting out rock that assays $3000 to the ton, there are mines of excellent coal in 14 foot seams, there is natural gas at the mouth of one well being a flame 30 feet high and visible by night for as many miles, there are quarries of limestone and bituminous rock.

"Monterey county has not known a failure of crops for the last 0 years, even last year which was a very poor one in the counties of the great valley, there was an immense crop along the Salinas. Alfalfa and the most valuable fruits grow here without any irrigation. The sugar beet grows better in this sheltered valley than any where else. Spreckels says that the Salinas beets are the very best he has ever seen, and will soon erect a factory to handle them.

"Now perhaps you see why am surprised at the neglect of Monterey.

"We now have in hand the Buena Vista rancho in the Salinas valley, right in the heart of this rich region. If you remember how the Salinas looks upon the map you will recall that the elbow in it crooked towards the north just a little way from its mouth. Right there the Santa Lucia mountains come down to the river. Now the coast breezes strike in through the lower reaches of the river until they strike this elbow. They cannot get around and are scattered upon the mountains and the valley lying behind the Santa Lucia range has such a charming climate that you would scarcely believe yourself in one of the coast counties. Right in the best of the valley lies this Buena Vista rancho.

"Rich alluvial bottom land 900 acres of it are, the remainder, 2600 acres, lie upon a slight rise where the soil is equally rich. Springs are everywhere, the grasses grow thick, juicy and high. Potatoes have been grown on the land to the extent of 500 bushels to the acre. Apples, pears, peaches, prunes apricots, and small fruits grow in lavish abundance. Wheat yields as high as $10 the acre and vegetables yield as high as $50 without much cultivation.

"If I owned that ranch myself a million dollars couldn't buy it. That may strike you as an odd thing for a dealer in real estate to say, but it's truth nevertheless. It is simply a wonderful country.

"It is eminently the place for men of small capital who seek to make a home for themselves and their families. Every dollar they can put into this land will be many dollars before long. The sale will occupy us for three days, beginning January 24th, and the terms are beyond precedent. One third down, balance to suit the purchasers any time within five years, nominally fixed in equal payments, one in two, three, four and five years, with interest at 7% per cent. The sale, it will be observed, occurs early enough in the season to allow purchasers to raise a crop during 1889. Proper attention to farming ought to enable the purchaser to pay for his land before the first deferred payment falls due."

The completion of the railroad is calling the attention of the public to this land. The Buena Vista Company has other lands in the same region on which they intend to put upon the market later. In this sale their intention is not so much to realize the largest possible prices, as it is to make as many sales as they can trusting to reap their advantage from the pressure of a thriving colony. Briggs, Fergusson & Co., who have the sale in charge, will be glad to give further information. They have a well earned reputatation for fair, honest dealing which in itself will create confidence in the present sale.

### Useful.

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### W. J. Colville's

Course of twelve lectures on Theosophy will be held in the synagogue, corner of Clay and Thirteenth streets, Oakland, on successive Mondays and Thursdays at 7:30 P. M. Second lecture on Thursday, January 10th. Subject: "The Mystery of the Ages or the Secret Doctrine of all Religions." Single admission 25 cents; course tickets $2 50. Sunday afternoon services in same place at 3 P. M. Seats free. All are welcome.

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria

## A TRAIN ROBBED.

### The Illinois Central Railroad Offers $1000 for the Capture of the Leader of the Duck Hill Robbery.

Railroads are beginning to suffer the terrible curse of train robbing again. The people of the United States felt at ease when Jesse James was assassinated, but now train robbing is becoming all the rage. Likewise the People's Express Company checks baggage to all parts of the United States from your hotel or residence. Their office, 423 Tenth street, is open from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M. Sundays for the accommodation of Sunday travel. Telephone 326.

### Schultze the New Photographer.

Oakland has been favored with a new German Artiste, who has purchased the photograph gallery of Price & Voelker, at 1069 Broadway. This gentleman's work speaks for itself, and lovers of fine photos should call and examine his rare exhibitions of beautiful work. Mr. Schultze is a gentleman of experience in his profession, and his prices are reasonable.

### Notice.

The undersigned having purchased, the Henry House at 462 Ninth street wishes to notify the public that he has thoroughly renovated and refurnished the house and is prepared to receive those who wish first class accomodations. C. E. ELIOT, Proprietor.

### Turkeys! Turkeys! Turkeys!

Look out for fat turkeys for the holidays at Samson's market, 477 Eleventh, and 1014 Washington street. He sells them cheap for cash.

Ivory handled whips and silver fox plush and fine wool robes; very fine at C. O. Evans's Harness Shop, 1317 Broadway and 1318 Telegraph avenue.

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See that your children get only pure candies. Lehnhardt manufactures all his own candies fresh every day at his store, 471 Fourteenth street, next to P. O.

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### Application to Mortgage Property.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE State of California, in and for the county of Alameda.

In the matter of the application of North Temescal Presbyterian Church for leave to mortgage property.

Notice is hereby given that North Temescal Presbyterian Church, a religious corporation, has applied for an order of the above named court granting leave to it to mortgage, for a sum not exceeding $1200, the real property in Oakland township, in said county, described as lots 83 and 84 of Temescal Park, as designated on the map of Temescal Park filed in the office of the County Recorder of said county on October 16, 1873; and said application will be heard in Department One (1) of said court on Monday, January 7, 1889, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

By order of said court.

Dated December 7, 1888.

CHAS. T. BOARDMAN,
County Clerk.
By ROBERT EDGAR, Deputy Clerk.


New To-day.

# Glascock Estate.

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# IN SIXTY YEARS.

## Comparison of Growth of Church Societies.

### Rev. Dr. McLean Inspects Rev. Mr. Wendte's Statistics.

### Where Unitarianism Should Be Were It What It Is Said by Its Ministers to Be.

EDITOR TRIBUNE: By your kind leave I will add the point promised as completing the interview published by you on Thursday upon the subject of the current denominational discussion inaugurated by my friend, Rev. Mr. Wendte, some time since.

The point relates to the reasons advanced by him to account for the undeniably vast discrepancy which exists between the growth actual of his denomination, and the growth reasonably to be expected of it in such a state of things as is alleged by him to exist in the general community, and especially within the ranks of the Evangelical churches.

The first reason advanced is that as Unitarianism has existed in an organized form for only sixty years, it has really had "too short a time in which to build up a national church." Comparison is then instituted with the first sixty years of Wesleyism; and it is asserted that there now are more Unitarians in the world to-day than there were Methodists when, six years after the use of Methodism, its founder died. The implication here is, and it is the only one at all relevant to the introduction of the illustration, that as Unitarianism has in its growth during its first sixty years parallelled that of Methodism in *its* first sixty years, so it may reasonably hope to do as well in its next eighty or ninety years as Methodism has done in the like period since Wesley died.

Now may I suggest just here to my ardent minded friend and enthusiastic prophet of the new dispensation (and I do it in the kindliest way. He knows me well enough to acquit me of any "polemical bitterness toward him at least), may I suggest that no discerner and interpreter of the signs of the times it requires that he thoroughly interrogate all supposed signs before he puts them upon the stand? Else, if he does not, when his witness is turned over for cross examination some prophet of the opposing part may arise and *e contre temps* ensue. I apprehend the present is a case in point. Even to an "embedded fossil" like myself my "mine" so shut up in the external and mechanical functions of my office as that I am rendered "unable to look with a prophet's vision upon the signs of the times as they appear on the spiritual horizon of the modern world" even to *me* a suspicion arises that this particular "sign" must have been taken upon its own account or itself, and without any all around close interrogation. The alert prophetic vision should not, in interpreting the signs of the times as they appear on the political horizon forget that circumstances sometimes alter cases. Let us suppose that John Wesley had had at the outset of his sixty years of labor, and such an apparatus of advantage behind him, as Unitarianism commanded in 1825. Suppose, to begin with, he had had one of the great English Universities, Oxford or Cambridge, with him, as Unitarianism had, and he had on Harvard from the beginning until now with endowed college and theological professorships. Suppose, next, the eighty-one of the strongest endowed cathedrals of England (if there be so many as that), retaining the church and parish funds and property, had exiled all their members except such as were Wesleyites, and had arranged themselves under Wesley's banner, while thirteen others also of the strongest Episcopal schools had stood with him, funds, property, members and all; or to put it even more fairly, suppose that out of every 511 Evangelical churches in England 135, a full third, had rallied to his standard in the first fifteen years of his work, as one third of the Congregational churches of Massachusetts did to Unitarianism in its first fifteen years. Suppose further, that almost the entire social and political prestige of all England had been on his side, as it was on the side of Unitarianism throughout all Massachusetts in 1825; suppose too, that for thirty-five of his sixty years the wealth, the aristocracy of London had been with him as unanimously as was the wealth, aristocracy, and culture of Boston with the "new faith" from 1825 to 1860. Suppose that it had require as much courage to preach Episcopalianism or to patronize it in London in 1735 and the years following as it did to preach or patronize orthodoxy in Boston in 1835 and the years subsequent. Suppose, too, that Wesleyanism in its first sixty years had had among its supporters as many splendid names to boast of as illumined that brilliant catalogue Mr. Wendte unrolled last Sunday of Unitarian magnates, most prominent in science, literature, statesmanship, and education—suppose I say Methodism had had the command of such a truly magnificent apparatus for propagandism as the above parallel exhibit, and then, at the end of sixty years should have come out with 375 societies on her year book (only 146 more than she counted fifty years before), and with only 14 names on her roll of ministers, 186 of them took in the passe-partout, and with *no report whatever* of her membership—would anybody except a "fossil" went to quote her in prophetic exemplification of a potency which, having confessedly lain dormant for the sixty years of its past life, now proclaims itself as well able and certain to conquer the world in the next sixty or ninety years. To do that would be to disclose an "optimism" will nigh equal to anything my polemical co-worker Horton possesses!

By the way, what attributes to inherent vitality of Evangelical faith this prophecy of the new Dispensation unwittingly calls up! Wesley—poor, unlettered, alone to begin with, with only the poor of this world, rich in faith, to help him—started a movement a thousand times more unpopular and more hedged in "by old time associations social and personal circumstances, and affection for some particular minister or church," and by other influences and obstacles a million times more stubborn than anything Unitarianism ever knew, but which two years ago numbered in its following in America alone of actual communicants 4,562,628, and which to-day numbers almost a million more. Really, that's not bad—particularly for a cohort of post diluvian rock embedded fossils!

If I were a discerner of the times, which of course I can't be, I should almost take that phenomenon to be a "sign," and say to myself if an army of blind men, blindly led, can do so much, what would happen if by any chance they were to get their eyes open. They might make things lively for even all conquering Liberalism!

I will consider but one other of my friend's positions, viz., that although Unitarianism don't grow much, take the country through, yet on this coast it does grow very well; so that "in the past seven years it has more than doubled its churches" here.

A good sign, certainly. But how trustworthy? If any community is freer than others of those influences which Mr. Wendte recites as satisfactorily accounting for the small general increase of his denomination, that community is surely this coast. All influences of a merely traditionary nature are certainly very weak here. We as a people rather pride ourselves (too much, possibly) on our independent of thought an action. We leave the ancient traditions, we are fond of thinking, as we cross the continental divide. It is not palpably true that the church here is strongly intrenched in the reverence or affection of the great majority of the people, but quite the contrary. If Unitarianism could have a good field anywhere in which to demonstrate its fidelity, certainly California, since 1849, is such a field. And in the last seven years it has more than doubled its churches on our coast, and what is the result of this duplication? Sixteen or seventeen churches are the present total.

A boy was interrogated as to his standing in his school. He was obliged to confess that he did not stand quite at the head of his class. "But," proudly insisted he, "I stand *next* to the head!" "And how many are there in your class, my boy?" "Oh! two of us," was the rejoinder, "me and another boy!"

To double our business capital in seven years is doing very well indeed. But does it not detract somewhat from the luster of the achievement to learn that the original capital was but seven dollars and a half? Ought not this sign of the times to have been a little more closely interrogated, my clear seeing fellow prophet, before administering to it the oath? One can assert of Unitarianism on this coast, as brother Jasper does of the sundown in Virginia, "It *do* move." But how fast, relatively to the moribund Orthodoxy it is even now supplanting?

My own denomination, not specially noted for a propagandist zeal, had on this coast, at the end of 1880, 123 churches. At the end of 1887 it had 225. The figures for the seven years ending now would make a much better showing than this, for the last year has been one of unexampled prosperity with Congregationalism on this coast. I have no doubt that it, too, has doubled while Unitarianism has been doing the same. The other orthodox families have done as well as we, some of them better; notably the Methodists, who in the northern half of California alone have 173 churches, with 11,864 in membership. Beyond all question, while in seven years time, in this most favorable environment, our Unitarian friends have wrought out the problem, eight multiplied by two equals sixteen churches, the orthodox have worked out the sum one thousand multiplied by two equals 2000 churches. More than that, I am wholly within the facts in saying that during the period in which my friend Wendte's light open eyed and "thinking" kind of churches have come to be sixteen or seventeen in number, the 1000 fossil headed and blind led Evangelical Churches which existed seven years ago have become not less than 2200 in number. Here, Mr. Editor, I rest the case so far as the newspapers are concerned. In my own pulpit on Sunday morning, and with but sparing reference to this controversy, I propose to discuss the question on other grounds than those noted here, "Is the Evangelical Faith Moribund?"

Very sincerely yours,

J. K. MCLEAN.

**More Bitumen for Franklin Street.**

Another effort is to be made to secure the paving of Franklin street from Seventh to the waterfront with bituminous rock. Several, who opposed the improvement before are now willing, it is said, to sign a petition for it.

**Lost and Runaway Children.**

One hundred and one runaway and lost children were found and returned to their parents by the police last year.

**Cost of the Police Department.**

The total cost of the Police Department last year, including the care of prisoners, amounted to $[illegible],659 27.

## AN AMATEUR ARCHITECT.

**The Reverend E. E. Hale Builds a House but Forgets to Put Stairs in.**

This story was told, as a joke upon himself, by the Reverend E. E. Hale D. D., in an address a few months ago at Chandler Hall, says the Boston *Record*: He had determined to build a house for a summer home, and believing that he knew just what he wanted in the way of a house, he determined to make his own plans. He accordingly drew his plans after his own ideas, elaborating them carefully, putting out a piazza here and a cupola or a balcony there in order to add to the comfort or the picturesque effect. At length the plans were completed and turned over to a builder to be realized in spruce, pine, and oak. Dr. Hale, as we all know, is a very busy man, the product of whose pen is greater, doubtless, than that of any other American writer.

He did not trouble himself about the work of the builder, but when all was done he went to view his future summer home. Below stairs all was to his liking. Here were the parlors, the dining room, the cosey library, and the wide hall. He would go above now and view the chambers. But where were the stairs? These useful appendages to a dwelling were nowhere visible. In short there were none. It was a trifling omission in the plans. The difficulty was temporarily abridged by the use of a ladder, by means of which the doctor entered a window in the second story. Later a flight of stairs were added to the attractions of the house, and now Dr. Hale, when he builds a summer house, submits the plans to a council of war before he puts them into execution.

## FOR THE BEER.

**The Startling Ending of a Terrible Southern Duel.**

As the train drew up at a small station on the Georgia Pacific road every passenger had his attention attracted to two colored men on the one wide street which ran past the depot, says the *Free Press*. One had a gun and the other a huge knife. The one with the knife was slowly backing off, and the one with the gun was trying to remove a cartridge shell which had jammed. There was a crowd around, but no one was interfering to prevent a murder. All the passengers were greatly excited, but after a halt of two minutes the train moved on. The matter bothered me for days and days. I was sure the man with the gun got it fixed and shot the other. In my dreams I saw the one with the knife lying dead. One day, 2000 miles away, I met a man who lived in the town, and I called up the incident and asked him how the affair ended.

"Did you see that?" he asked with a grin.

"Yes. Did the man with the gun shoot?"

"Oh! no."

Did they stop him?"

"No."

"Did the other run off?"

"No."

"Well, how it end?"

"Why, the one with the knife said he'd treat to the beer, and the other settled it that way. It was only a scare on a country nigger, and they work it almost every day."

**Supposed to Be the Murderer of Snell.**

FORT WAYNE, Ind., January 5.—Great excitement prevails at Leo, a small village near here, over the arrest of a man supposed to be murderer Tascott. The Chicago officials have been notified.

## *SUPERIOR COURT.*

CALENDAR FOR MONDAY, JANUARY 7, 1889.

Department One—Hamilton, Judge: Swain vs. Burnette; motion for order modifying judgment.

Estate of F. G. Merchant, deceased; probate of will.

Estate of K. B. Felton, deceased; petition for letters of administration.

Estate of N. Cohen, deceased; same.

In re application North Temescal Presbyterian Church; petition to mortgage.

Stark vs. Stark; motion for alimony.

Estate of W. Schmidt, deceased; petition to make lease, and petition to mortgage.

Spring Valley Water Works vs. Pierce; demurrer and motion.

Estate of Amelia Peterson, deceased; return on real estate.

Estate of James Deasy, deceased; petition for homestead.

Estate of Flora Cohen, minor; appointment of guardian.

Estate of C. S. Pierson, deceased; probate of will.

Estate of P. Jacobson, deceased; distribution.

Department Two—Gibson, Judge; Estate of Charles E. Fairbank, deceased; petition for letters of administration.

Estate of Mary Conlon; petition for letters of guardianship.

Weyant vs. Crittenden; motion for change of venue.

Estate of Thomas Green, deceased; to show cause why indebtedness should not be paid.

Estate of Walter Blair, deceased; petition for order of sale.

Estate of L. M. Starr, deceased; final account and distribution; demurrer.

Desmond vs. Corcoran; demurrer.

Scotchler vs. Bates et al.; demurrer.

Estate of Rachal Frazier; petition for letters of administration.

People vs. Morrow; to be set.

People vs. McDonough; same.

Ramsell vs. Lloyd; motion to tax costs.

Estate of Handerkin, deceased; petition for letters.

Estate of Lizzie D. Dodge, deceased; final account, etc.

Estate of Samuel Lenberg, deceased; petition for letters.

Kallaher vs. Kallaher; trial at 2 P. M.

Department Three — Ellsworth, Judge:

Estate of George W. Winchester et al., minors; petition for letters of guardianship.

Harmon Lumber Company vs. Knowles; demurrer.

White vs. Castle; motion for change of venue.

Estate of J. D. Bothwell, deceased; assignment of estate to widow.

Estate of J. Devoninger, deceased; petition for letters.

Humboldt Savings and Loan Society vs. C. G. Sperry; demurrer.

Pearson vs. Mesmer; demurrer.

Martin vs. Hart; demurrer.

Ferrin vs. Ferrin; hearing.

Cosmopolitan Building and Loan Association vs. Atkinson; to be set for trial.

Estate of George Cantus; final account, etc.

## *LICENSED TO MARRY.*

John Worthington, a native of Wales, aged 26, and Ellen Hughes, a native of Wales, aged 26, both residents of Oakland.

Frederick Lilienthal, a native of Germany, aged 31, and Elizabeth Celestine Farrell, a native of New York, aged 21, both residents of Oakland.

**A Newspaper Vender Assaulted.**

The assault of Adolph Wares, a vender of newspapers in this city, yesterday by two tight rope walkers named W. H. and Louis Davidson, resulted in the arrest of the latter two at San Francisco later in the day, on charges of assault with a deadly weapon.

**Indianians.**

The second meeting of the association of native and old residents of Indiana will be held at the office of Dr. Hess on Wednesday night, and a permanent organization will be effected.

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MRS. Finnegan (Ladd) will occupy the platform at Fraternity Hall, Seventh and Peralta streets, to-morrow evening at 7:30. She will give tests the whole of the evening. This lady is considered one of the best test mediums in California. All friends are invited to come and hear her.

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**Asbury Social Circle.**

The Asbury "Social Circle" will meet at Mrs. Bane's residence, 580 Eighteenth street, next Monday evening.

## MINING STOCK REPORT.

San Francisco, January 5, 1889

MORNING SALES—REGULAR SESSION.

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| 300 Alpha Con. | 2 60 | 100 L Washington | 50 |
| 120 Alta | 2 00 | 380 Mexic | 3 55 |
| 100 Baltimore | 40 | 200 Mono | 1 35 |
| 10 Belcher | 65 | 500 Nevada Queen | 2 60 |
| 1180 B & B | 55 | 20 N B Isle | 2 30 |
| 210 Bodie | 1 80 | 100 N Geo | 1 15 |
| 300 Bullion | 1 25 | 100 Ocean | 1 00 |
| 250 Chol | 3 05 | 470 Ophir | 54 |
| 780 C C & V | 95 | 200 Phoe | 45 |
| 400 C Imp | 75 | 400 P Pts | 1 20 |
| 150 Con Pacific | 37 | 310 Savage | 3 25 |
| 200 Crocker | 85 | 350 S B & M C | 3 30 |
| 310 Crown Pt. | 05 | 150 S Nev | 3 15 |
| 400 Del Mont | 1 05 | 500 Tuscarora | 05 |
| 250 G & C | 3 20 | 300 Union Con | 2 90 |
| 100 G Prize | 80 | 850 Utah | 1 35 |
| 750 H & N | 65 | 550 W Com | 50 |
| 500 Justice | 2 15 | 100 Y Jack | 4 90 |

## DEEDS AND MORTGAGES.

*Specially reported up to noon each day for The Tribune.*

DEEDS.

SATURDAY, January 5.

A. J. Robinson and wife to Henry R. Miller—12.39 acres on road from Haywards to Moraga valley, Eden township ..... $ 10

Samuel Grainger to George Lutimer—NW corner Twenty-eighth and Union, N 100x27, Oakland ..... 5

J. L. Scotchler and Mary A. Fitch to Pietro Perato—Lots 13, 14, and 25 and 26, block D, and lots 85 and 32, block 6, Fitch tract, Alameda ..... 10

E. A. and Mary C. Lindberg to Emily N. Lindberg—All interest in lot 14, block 2, Antisell's villa lots, Berkeley ..... 10

F. V. Gardiner to Evaline Hubbard—Lots 22 and 23, Kimball tract, Oakland ..... 10

N. D. Thayer to D. W. C. Gaskill—All interest E Webster, 50 S from Durant, S 66x100, Oakland ..... 1

E. A. Haines to Same—Same, quit claim ..... 1

D. W. C. Gaskill to William F. Lewis—Same ..... 5975

Washington School District to J. T. Walker—Lot fronting 320 feet on Mission street, Irvington ..... 1

A. S. Anderson and wife to O. Anderson—Subdivision D, lot 12, block 794, Watts tract No. 2, Oakland ..... 5

S. B. Norton to Frances Norton, his wife—South Buena Vista avenue, 350 E from Willow, E 50x150, Alameda ..... Gift

Howard Shaw and wife to A. B. Lyons—North Thirty-sixth, 210.7, E from Linden, E 52.86, N 108.7, W 52.62, S 103.93, Oakland township ..... 10

H. Gaulene to P. Bocquerez—E Chestnut, 144 S from Third, S 25x132, also undivided ½ lots 17, 18, and S ½ lot 14, block 6, Oakland ..... 2500

William H. Weilbye to C. A. Littlefield—S Twenty-fifth, 350 W from Telegraph avenue, W 50x135, Oakland ..... 10

Elsie A., wife of J. E. McElrath, to Emma S., wife of C. P. Wexott et al.—Lots 1, 2, and 30, block 2294, Alden tract, at Temescal, Oakland township ..... 15

Samuel Sleigh and wife to William Sears—E Filbert, 194 S from Third street, S 26, E 101.5, N 26, W 96, Oakland ..... 10

M. J. Todd to Lorin Hall Association—S Alcatraz avenue, 60 E from Paradise street, E 50x100, Oakland township ..... 300

Henry R. Miller to A. J. Robinson—S corner Ninth avenue and East Twenty-first street, SE 150xSW 100; also N Sycamore, 262 W from Grove, W 50x100, Oakland ..... 10

MORTGAGES.

SATURDAY, January 5th.

George E. Van Haltren to Home Security Building and Loan Association—W Center, 659 N from Eighth, N 40.1½, W 134¼, S 40.1½, E 13 5/6, Oakland ..... $ 1200

A. B. Lyons to J. N. Knowles—As in deed ..... 1650

J. J. Berardo to L. F. Rindesponder et al.—20 acres on road from Centerville to Mayhew's Landing, Washington township ..... 2100

H. P. Hescock to Union Savings Bank—SE corner of San Jose avenue and Chestnut street, E 150 x150, Alameda ..... 1500

Joseph Saraminto to Joaquin Pereira—7 acres on road from San Leandro to Haywards, Eden township ..... 300

C. A. Littlefield to Union Savings Bank—As in deed ..... 900

J. L. River and wife to E. H. Gunsberger—Lot 100x209 on SE B street, Haywards ..... 2500

J. O. Anderson to San Francisco Mutual Loan Association—As in deed ..... 1100

Same to A. S. Anderson—Same ..... 400

Emma S., wife of C. P. Westcott et al. to Elsie A., wife of J. E. McElrath—As in deed ..... 500

Thomas Ward to Union Savings Bank—SE corner Twenty-first and Linden streets, S 81.99, E 125, N 87.9, W 125.4, Oakland ..... 550

James Y. Kelly to Same—E Magnolia, 60 S from Tenth, S 30x120, Oakland ..... 1200

Henry R. Miller to A. J. Robinson—As in deed from Robinson ..... 7500

Alex Johnson to Union Savings Bank—E Willow street, 125 N from Buena Vista avenue, N 45x120, Alameda ..... 1000

J. T. Walker to Abbie S. Barnard—One acre on County road from Irvington to Mission San Jose, Irvington ..... 200

J. E. McElrath and wife to Oakland Bank of Savings—Lots 1 to 11 and 14 to 17, block 2117, Alden tract at Temescal, Oakland township ..... 2100

Nelson C. Gould and wife to West Oakland Mutual Loan Association—W Wood, 111.8 S from Taylor, S 26x100, Oakland ..... 1200

Mrs. Julia Ziegler to W. G. Gibbs—W Curtis, 30 S from Lydia, S 32½x100, Oakland ..... 600

Chris Anderson to J. E. Brunn—Lots 13 to 15, block K, Knowles & Porter subdivision, Kennedy tract, Oakland ..... 500

Charles F. Johnson to Union Savings Bank—Lot 117, block 4, Regent Street Homestead Association tract ..... 300

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## ATTENTION.

**General Order No. 1**

It is hereby ordered that all young men in Alameda county attending balls and parties this winter should see that their scarfs, collars and shirts are of the newest and latest designs in order to make an impression on the fair sex. The Elite Gents' Furnishing Goods Emporium is the supply depot for anything in this line. 868 Washington street, between Seventh and Eighth streets, Oakland, Cal.

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**An Important Discovery.**

The people of Oakland are just finding out that George R. Read, 1012 Washington street, is importing his lamp goods directly from Eastern manufacturers and selling them even below San Francisco prices. Also that he keeps the largest and best assortment of gasoline and oil stoves and all kitchen utensils. The result is that many are saving their money by trading on this side of the bay.

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Before purchasing your Sunday dinner it will pay you to call at J. C. DOLAN'S, 417 Twelfth street, City Market. You will find everything the market affords in fruits, vegetables, poultry, and game, butter and eggs a specialty.

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**N. S. G. W., Attention!**

THE MEMBERS OF PIEDMONT PARLOR, No. 126, are hereby notified to meet at California Hall, SUNDAY, January 6th, at 12 o'clock sharp, to attend the funeral of our late brother Frank J. Higgins, the First Grand Past President of the order, at Pioneer Hall, San Francisco, at 2 P. M. Parlor will go on 12:30 Broad Gauge.

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Both said contract and bond must be made and executed to the satisfaction and acceptance of the undersigned. The undersigned reserves the right to reject any or all bids. The person receiving the contract will be required to furnish the County Tax Collector with 200 copies of the first issue and 50 copies of each subsequent issue of the paper and supplement thereto containing said delinquent tax list. Said work to be paid for by warrants drawn upon the Treasurer of Alameda county and payable out of the General Fund of said county in due and regular course of registration, in the same manner as other claims against said fund are paid.

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Oakland, January 5th, 1889.


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# HAIL. NEW YEAR.

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invited guests and friends of Company F on New Year's Eve, and those assembled were right enjoyably entertained by the gallant young militants. The hall was profusely decorated with flags and flowers. Japanese umbrellas bore upon their outer edges pendant lanterns and streamers of red, white, and blue. Large floral pieces adorned the walls and even the ceiling was embellished with beautiful flowers and gay colored paper decorations.

The anteroom immediately adjoining the main hall was converted into a fairy grotto. The floor was covered with turf and blue grass, and tortuous paths were designed and cut out, allowing a delightful promenade to those who were so inclined. In the center a fountain, arranged in a mound of grass with nasturtium vines and ivy creeping over, played a tiny stream of sparkling water. The cavern was lighted by fairy lamps and colored lanterns, and was otherwise decorated with an immense variety of rare and fragrant blossoms. Lemonade was dispensed from a little cavern arranged at the north side.

Of course dancing was the chief amusement. In it engaged a large number of the handsomest soldiers and most charming young ladies present. The Fifth Regiment band furnished excellent music.

Preparations for the event were made by the following Committee of Arrangements: J. F. Hayes, R. P. Poorman, E. G. Hunt, H. F. Sheehan, P. S. Shepheard, C. W. Bartels, A. B. Wastell, and G. A. Tyrrell.

These acted as a reception committee: C. E. Parsons, J. F. Hayes, T. J. Sheehan, G. H. Wethern, and M. I. Hanscom. The dancing was conducted by a committee consisting of: P. I. Shepheard, R. P. Bromley, E. G. Hunt, H. F. Sheehan, E. J. Stewart, G. A. Tyrrell, and A. B. Wastell.

As the new year entered a huge floral piece at the southern side of the hall, which had remained covered during the evening was unveiled. It was a large bank of mosses and ferns, with a beautiful centerpiece of variegated flowers, a beautiful camelia reposing in its center. The tribute bore the inscription "Company F wishes a merry Christmas and a happy New Year to all." Below the legend were the dates 1877 in violets and 1888 in mignonette and daisies. Dancing was kept up until early morning. The following were present: James R. Neelon, Miss Smyth, J. Smyth, Miss A. Houghton, Miss Grace Parker, Miss Amber Russell, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Cameron, H. J. Murr, H. D. Kelsey, E. A. Sprague, C. A. Ballantyne, H. Campbell, Miss Lizzie Smith, Miss Maggie Donohue, Miss N. Williams, W. F. Besse, Miss Lillian Wade, Miss Brom, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Woolsey, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Clark, L. A. Hinman, Miss Alice Parsons, Charles L. Peterson, O. H. Rhoedgar, Miss Edith Harris, Miss Jones, Miss Blake, Miss Anita Albridge, Will Leber, Miss Allie Blethen, J. Hayes, Miss Etta C. Howland, James Lynch, Miss Jo Lynch, Mr. and Mrs. Lee, G. W. Blethen, E. H. Rand, Mrs. H. B. Rand, W. H. Cobbledick, Miss May Cobbledick, Miss Rice, Mrs. C. Siperley, S. L. Pinckney, Miss Edith McLellan, Miss Lulu Pelkier, Miss Nellie Gerrish, Benjamin K. Martland, Mrs. Delia Magini, Miss May Hooper, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Woof, Miss Irene Billings, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Laymance, Mrs. Henry Atkinson, J. F. Lynch, Miss Josie Lynch, D. Dolbier, Miss V. Blethen, Mrs. H. Caldseil, Miss Irene Caldseil, F. B. Heider, T. F. Lyons, Miss Mamie Fox, Miss Julia Carroll, E. A. Bailey, Miss Etta Pollard, John Hogarty, Miss Shaw, Miss Markel, Mrs. Maria Clark, W. Williams, Mrs. P. R. Williams, T. H. Williams, Miss E. Briull, Miss M. K. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Bowden, A. S. Johnson, Lou Dods, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Whitlock, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hinds, Miss Johnson, Miss Breyton, B. T. Pond, Miss N. T. Levis, Mrs Sarah Jones, H. E. Boggs, Miss J. L. Hawton, Ed Rutherford, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Coolidge, Miss Belle Sach, Miss Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett, Mrs. J. W. Easter, Miss Nettie Easter, Miss Emma Easter, Miss Emma Burns, Oscar Painter, Miss Alice Hallenbeck, Miss Jessie Clark, E. G. Hunt, Miss Ivy Gage, Miss D. Medan, F. B. Dann, Chester Smythe, Mrs Cora Tompkins, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Wedgwood, Charles A. Jacoby, Miss Nellie Edwards, Alec Wilson, J. W. Easter, Clem White, Miss B. M. Gregory, Miss M. White, Miss Sadie Blakie, Mr. Wood, Mrs. H. D. Nelker, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Millard, George Palmer, H. A. Sagehorn, L. Downing, Miss T. Medan, C. A. Taber, Miss Eva Day, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Brackett, Miss May Ballantyne, Miss Nellie Chase, George Chase, Mrs. G. H. Wethern, Clark Palmer, W. H. Gregory, Miss Daisy Pollard, Charles Scott, Miss Faulkner, P. G. Solomon, Mrs. A. G. Satterwhite, Miss H. L. Kingston, Clifford Roper, Charles D. Haines, W. W. Curnow, Mrs. Annie Curnow, Miss A. B. Curnow, Miss Rosalia Clark, Miss M. Neece.

THE BOY: RECEIVED.

At the rooms of the Young Men's Christian Association on New Year's Day a departure was made from the usual manner of receiving New Year's callers. It has been customary to have a committee of young ladies, friends of the members, to act as hostesses and receive company. But on this occasion the tables were turned. The young members themselves were present during the day and evening, and welcomed a large number of callers, many of whom came from San Francisco. In the evening the following programme was executed:

Piano solo.....Mr. Kellogg
Recitation..Assistant Secretary's children
Recitation.....C. B. Davis
Vocal solo.....Miss N. Caswell
Recitation.....Miss B. Arnold
Essay.....Frank Clazie
Vocal duet..Assistant Secretary's children
Recitation.....W. H. Greider
Recitation.....Miss Gertonesifer
Vocal solo.....Miss N. Caswell

At the close of the entertainment games were resumed and pleasant pastimes and parlor amusements served to make the time pass very pleasantly. The Assistant Secretary was the recipient of a handsome suit of clothes, a New Year's present from the officers and members of the association. The following are those who assisted Secretary Bray and his deputy, Austin Hamlin, in receiving the guests: Frank Clazie, Hiram L. Brewer, C. B. Davis, Howard J. Piersoll, William H. Greider, Horace P. Leach, Arthur G. Foster, and George E. Howland. These called during the day and evening: H. L. Brewer, R. J. Nash, E. D. Scanlon, A. N. Never, H. O. Marshall, A. G. Forster, J. Gorgenson, N. Davis, P. C. Barter, F. N. Sawyer, D. L. Smith, T. F. Doohs, F. Zinclair, P. E. Ockley, W. H. Pierce, F. V. Avery, J. Brown, C. H. Mucell, L. Farnoff, A. I. Bray and wife, Jason Morse, Mrs. L. P. Higgins, A. A. Marshall, Bertie G. H. Hunt, H. G. Hardy, Mrs. D. M. Laine, Mrs. M. J. Laine, A. W. Jones, Miss L. F. Shaffer, Miss Katie Shaffer, R. Gray Friz, Miss B. Forten, L. A. Thorn, H. M. Sterns and wife, W. F. Cox, Dr. W. F. Southard, J. M. Cherry, W. A. Cooper, H. B. Lamb, Miss H. Soverson, Miss B. Soverson, S. Fairbanks, Mrs. C. B. Carol, L. L. Denison, W. R. Shilling, W. I. Shiling, George Campbell, Miss Fannie Twitchell, P. J. Shaffer, E. C. Morrison, C. McDonald, W. W. Fogg, H. P. Leach, James Lange, J. J. Shubard, C. Davis, L. P. May, D. B. Smith and wife, Mrs. L. M. Swelling, Mrs. Captain Bray, Miss Carrie Bray, Will Kinnard, J. Littcoy, G. T. Littoey, S. Sanders, Miss Bertie Arnold, W. H. Greider, Mr. and Mrs. P. Noysat, J. S. Kelley, Mrs. A. N. Humhr, F. W. Watkins, H. S. Blanchard, Mrs. Blanchard, Miss Heline, Miss M. Cope, J. L. Piersol, C. Givon, C. Penney, J. P. Simonsen, G. Howland, J. Clark, B. Tunchard, E. O. Jansen, Mrs. E. C. Dunham, H. Littooy, H. G. Manson, W. Bailey, Rev. Dr. F. A. Horton, F. Burton Gee, Charles B. Fareells, O. P. Fitch.

MERRIMENT AT GOLDEN GATE.

Last Saturday evening the Club of 1888 gave the third invitation party of the season at Klinkner Hall, Golden Gate. The affair was a very successful one and proved a source of much amusement to those who attended. The evening was passed in dancing to the time of excellent music. Among those who were present were: W. Smith, Mr. Marshall, Mr. Janssen, Miss L. Janssen, Miss M. Janssen, Miss S. Townsend, Will Alexander, Frank A. Bowen, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Rosemond, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rice, Miss Mamie Rosemond, R. B. McClellan, Mr. and Mrs. Scherr, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Teague, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hogshed, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Remington, Mrs. J. O. Watkins, Mr. and Mrs. F. Davey, Dr. and Mrs. Cane, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Hunt, Mrs. May Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Klinkner, Mrs. T. Millard, Mr. and Mrs. Dean, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Arnold, Miss Lizzie Davis, Miss Ida Perkins, Miss Lillie V. Ford, Miss R. Davis, Miss H. Parke, Misses J. and M. Deichmann, Miss Donley, Miss Mary Klinkner, Miss Tessie McMinomey, Miss Lyons, Miss Delphe Hawkins, Miss Doyle, Miss Love, Mrs. George Miller, Rafael Rameos, Julian de Loye, C. E. Perkins, C. A. Janssen, H. Davey, H. B. Miller, James E. Davis, C. R. Hansen, C. S. Warner, L. Kimble, J. H. Deichmann, Fred Teague, Charles Dean, John McMinomey, Mr. Palethorp, Mr. Volmer.

ON NEW YEAR'S EVE.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hahn received a number of their friends at their home on Ninth and Franklin streets last Monday evening, and the company spent several very happy hours under their direction. An excellent musical programme was carried out during the evening, after which those present danced until far into the present year. These were among the guests: Mr. and Mrs. D. Vogt, Mr. and Mrs. H. Pfenninger, Mr. and Mrs. Monnet, Mrs. Belle Wicer, Len Pfenninger, J. Bloom, Misses Kittie Huck, Miss Nell Brannon, Carl Huck, Miss N. Bloom, Charles Conterno, Leon Hall, G. W. Bloom, Miss May Howe, Miss May Summers, Fred Monnet, John Fleming, Andrew Bloom, George Hamilton, Farhe Bloom, Mrs. Valentine Huck, Alfred Walworth, Mr. and Mrs. Grandjean, Mr. and Mrs. G. Bloom.

A PARTY AT WATTS TRACT.

Miss Kate Carroll received a number of her friends at her home, 350 B street, Watts tract, last Tuesday afternoon. The time was pleasantly spent in conversing socially and in singing, dancing, and playing games. There were present: George A. Parker, Fred Woodward, John W. Noble, Charley Gove, Henry Willey, John F. Cronin, and a number of others.

A NEW YEAR SURPRISE.

Miss Katie McKiernan was agreeably surprised at her home, 1358 Eighteenth street, on the evening of New Year's day, by a number of friends. Pleasant games and parlor pastimes made the time pass pleasantly, and dancing was enjoyed by all. Among the company were: Miss Katie McKiernan, Miss Annie Terry, Miss Lillie Fitzpatrick of Los Angeles, Miss Mary Flynn, Miss Maggie Newell, Miss Stella Dooly of Sacramento, Miss Nellie Welsh, Miss Annie McKiernan, Miss Nellie Anderson, Mrs. Anderson, Fred Woodward, George A. Parker, John W. Noble, John Flynn, Frank Anderson, Robert Hennings, George Palmer, Tim Flynn, August Sweinser, Ames Williams, Ambrose Kerrigan, Tim Newell, Patrick Ward, Michael Grady, John McKiernan, John Rodden, and Frank Mulheron.

A HAPPY BIRTHDAY.

Miss Edith Gardner gave a donkey party to a number of her friends on Tuesday last, the occasion being the tenth anniversary of her birthday. The little ones were received by their charming young hostess and passed a delightful afternoon in the sports and pastimes that make childhood's happy hour as merry and pleasant as they are. These were among the company: Miss Belle Gardner, Miss Edith Gardner, Miss Ruby Tripp, Miss Nettie Leach, Misses May, Fannie and Maud Jackson, Misses Alma and Alice Mitchell, Miss Hanchie Englert, Miss Violet Albright, Miss Ethel Allan, Miss Marie Plaw, Miss Eleanor Plaw, Miss Alice Conklin, Miss Maggie Livingston, Walter Doyle, Walter Agnew, Willie Allan, Arthur Agnew, Fred Conklin, Gustave Englert, Frank Mitchell, and Ralph Mitchell.

ENTERTAINMENT AND PANTOMINE.

An entertainment was given in Alameda on the 28th of December by the First Presbyterian Sunday School. It took place at the Park Opera House, and was attended by a large number of friends of the scholars of the school. The evening's entertainment was opened by a grand march by the pupils of the school, dressed in costumes of the olden times, and was followed by songs and recitations. The second part was of a very laughable nature, a shadow pantomine, entitled, *The Tragical Duel, or The Comical Rivals*, the characters coming and going as if by magic. It afforded great amusement to the little folks and was also enjoyed by the older ones. The entertainment was a complete success, and it is understood was the means of adding materially to the funds of the church.

GOSSIP.

C. F. A. Johnson, who was one of the Republican electors from Maine in 1884, is a guest of Dr. J. M. Selfridge.

Edward Thomas of Oregon is visiting friends in Oakland.

M. B. Curtis and wife of Berkeley are spending the winter in San Francisco.

On Monday evening, January 21st, there will be a grand masquerade ball at Germania Hall under the direction of Professor Wood, assisted by Messrs. Kitchen, Woods, Murphy, Cuthill, Meader, Harvey, and Arth.

Mrs. H. F. Larrabee and her son, F. W. Larrabee, have been visiting Oakdale in order to dispose of her goods there, that she may locate in Oakland.

L. M. Lyster of Pleasanton has been spending the week in San Jose.

Mrs. Amos Durant and Will Durant of Oakland visited friends in Stockton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Prinet of this city spent the holidays in San Jose.

W. S. Snook went to Napa on Monday.

C. B. Cuel of this city is at the Commercial Hotel, Santa Barbara.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Howard of Berkeley are at the Hot Springs, Santa Barbara.

Will Gaven spent the holiday week in Concord.

Miss A. Blake is enjoying the winter weather in Santa Barbara.

Harry Baldwin of Oakland is visiting with his schoolmate, Ed Hilborn, in Suisun.

Henry McCrimmon of St. Helena came to Oakland on New Year's Day.

Miss Maud Clock of Oakland is visiting in St. Helena, the guest of Miss Lottie Graham.

George Meredith spent Christmas with his parents in St. Helena.

J. A. Moffitt has been spending a portion of the past week in Stockton.

M. D. Fairchild of this city went to Stockton after New Year's.

On Tuesday evening the United Temperance Cadets held a very pleasant social dance, to which were admitted only members and their lady friends.

The Alameda Choral Society has decided to produce the opera *Iolanthe; or the Peer and the Peri*, by Gilbert and Sullivan, at a date not far distant.

Catholic Ladies' Aid Society, No. 3, will celebrate the first anniversary of its organization on the evening of January 30th, in St. Joseph's Hall, Alameda, by an entertainment to be followed by dancing.

Pacific Hose Company, No. 4, of the Alameda Fire Department, will give its eighth annual masquerade ball on the evening of February 21st.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Binder of Alameda spent Christmas with Mrs. Binder's mother in San Jose. Mrs. Binder will remain there several days.

Wednesday evening there was an informal gathering of "Les Amies Musicales" and a number of their friends at the home of the Misses Harris, on Division street, between Wood and Pine. The company was pleasantly entertained by selections, vocal and instrumental, rendered by members of the club, and after spending a delightful evening of music and vocal converse those present departed for their respective homes.

M. F. Smith of Oakland left yesterday afternoon for London. His brother will join him at Dakota. Mr. Smith expects to make a short pleasure visit in connection with his business trip in Bayswater and Piccadilly, London; also in the north of Ireland.

A. J. Nichols of Truckee is at the Brunswick.

Misses Alice and Nellie Brown of Iron Hill are recent arrivals at the Galindo.

F. L. Gordon of New York is at the Brunswick.

Mrs. H. J. Nelson of Concord, Contra Costa county, is visiting Mrs. E. F. Voorhees.

Frank Atkinson will leave for Sacramento in a day or two.

Mr. Potter, manager of the J. Dewing Company, 1165 Washington street, is confined to his room with a serious cold.

H. P. Brown, the lawyer, suffered a stroke of paralysis about three weeks ago, by which his entire right side was affected. He has recovered sufficiently to come down town, though still feeble.

At the First Methodist Episcopal Church on New Year's day a reception of visitors was held in the newly furnished parlors and club room by the young ladies of the church. The following were hostesses: The Misses Johnson, the Misses Bailey, Miss Evelyn Hinkle, Miss Millie Burrall, the Misses Blansdell, Miss Ella Batchelder, Miss Gussie Blair, Mrs. Charles Holt, Miss Myra Holt, Miss Boyd, Miss Hanna, Mrs. Bentley, Miss Buchanan, the Misses Rowe, Miss Alice Wythe, Miss Henderson, Mrs. Keys, and Mrs. George Wastell.

W. L. Lindhard of Portland, Or., is in this city visiting friends.

## A RECORD OF MARRIAGES.

**Cupid's Work Recorded During the Week Ending January 5, 1889.**

December 12th—Alexander McDowell, aged 50, and Emily Warburton, aged 34, both residents of Oakland; by E. R. Dille.

December 25th—Charles Henry Fulweiler, aged 23, resident of San Francisco, and Daisy Radcliffe, aged 27, resident of Auburn; by E. R. Dille.

December 27th—Henry Edgar Cook, aged 57, resident of Orlander, and Harriet Bolitho, aged 43, resident of same place; by Hobart Chetwood.

December 28th—Albert Rone, aged 55, and Susan A. Holmes, aged 39, both residents of Oakland; by Charles H. Hobart.

December 25th—Ernest Harold Gilstead, aged 31 years, resident of San Pedro, and Amanda Carlson, aged 31, resident of San Francisco; by C. M. Nelson.

December 23d—John Williams, aged 46, and Elizabeth Tracy, aged 23, resident of Oakland; by W. H. Cooke.

December 28th—Andrew Peter Peterson, aged 31 years, resident of Benicia, and Annie Gillick, aged 37, resident of Oakland; by J. J. Cranwell.

December 25th — Elias Overman George, aged 41, and Isabella Latimer, aged 4, both residents of Oakland; by Francis A. Horton.

December 31st—Dennis Thomas Sullivan, aged 35, and Margaret Teresa Moran, aged 25, both residents of San Francisco, by T. Caraher.

December 25th — George Cresso Fisher, aged 33, resident of Niles, and Josephine McGraw, aged 22, resident of Oakland, by J. H. Wythe.

December 31st—John Going, aged 26, and Mary Ann Muldoon, aged 27, both residents of Oakland, by E. J. Doran.

December 24th—Martin John Marck, aged 26, and Charlotte Calvary Higgins, aged 17, both residents of West Berkeley; by P. M. Cumerford.

December 30th — Laughlin Rogers, aged 27, resident of San Francisco, and Mary Agnes Murray, resident of Oakland; by E. J. Doran.

January 1st—Joseph France, aged 35, and Annie Silviera, aged 20, both residents of Oakland; by E. J. Doran.

December 29th — Arthur Thomas Johns, aged 20, resident of Alameda, and Lizzie Seaman, aged 24, resident of San Francisco; by John Kirby.

January 1st—Charles Edward Anthony, aged 21, and Lulu Hattie Burrows, aged 17, both residents of East Oakland; by John F. Anderson.

December 31st—Ernest Milton Drake, aged 22, and Alice Grace Glenn, aged 19, both residents of Oakland; by E. J. Waggoner.

January 3d—Douglas Spencer Cane, aged 21 years, a resident of Red Bluff, and Marie Louise Madaline Lewis, aged 18 years, resident of San Francisco; by Hobart Chetwood.

Miss Tottie Craig, formerly of Oakland, but now of Tacoma, Wash., is visiting her parents here.

The "C. C. M's" will meet Miss Raymond on Monday at 10 A. M. at The Centennial with Miss Miller.

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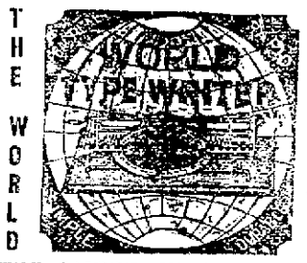


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The celebration of New Year's Day in one form or another is a custom dating far into the past, and although many changes have been brought about during the passage of years, and although the political and social worlds have undergone transformation and have fallen into pits of semi-barbarity and have risen and fallen again several times since the origin of the holiday, there even yet is much in the customs and usages of society to-day suggestive of the age when the duty of making New Year calls fell upon the sex commonly called the weaker, and when, as a way for gormandizing and drinking and making merry it took second place to none in the calendar of the entire year. Of course this, in common with all custom, has changed somewhat with time. The thin coating of refinement "which," says the philosopher, Max Muller, "but covers the solid barbarity of an eternity's development," has thickened a little and has changed its color chameleon like, to suit various ages and conditions, but still it covers the same human nature, and it is but a matter of a little more persuasion or a little greater incentive that causes the original material to make its presence apparent. As the progress in the manufacture of proof safes has been kept pace with by improvements in burglars' tools, so it seems that the greater the height to which society has ascended the heavier is the weight of responsibilities that has been crushing it down. At the present we may notice the men, women, and boys of society performing duties and acting in accordance with social rituals the origin of which they don't know, and even their own motives for doing which they are ignorant of. Custom is an answer to all questions of why or wherefore that may be asked them.

In this respect they much resemble a flock of sheep, but the resemblance is lost here, inasmuch as they lack the wise old leader of every band which every well regulated ovine should follow.

As there are many people who are very careful of ending the old year well, they are none the less solicitous of making a good beginning of the new, and there is a certain benefit derived from this observance of the old customs, notably the one of making vows of better conduct and forswearing vice for the coming year. Good resolutions, even though kept but for a fortnight, have a purifying effect while they endure. There are indications of good resolves being made by those who constitute swelldom and those who receive and those who go out and make the planet as merry as it is. There is a slight tendency already noticeable toward the casting aside of some of the mouldy chestnut that are roasted over and over again as means of recreation and amusement, and a movement in the direction of something original and a greater variety. The real beginning, however, was made before the year dawned in the grand ball at Cameron Hall for the Ladies' Relief Society. Whether the improvements will continue or not remains to be seen. Events as they occur will be recorded, and the readers of the social news will be left to judge the result.

THE CLIMAX AND THE CLOSE.

The most successful event of the year came with New Year's Eve and went with the early dawn of New Year's Day. It was more than the leading event of a passing season. It might even have been termed the *ultima Thule* of all similar happenings within the charmed circle of Oakland's society since its organization. Cameron Hall, the scene of the event, was nicely decorated, and superb toilets were worn by the ladies. On the large stage the predominating color were yellow, set off by pleasing contrasts of green and lighter colors. Long streamers of bunting, depending from a center piece of palm, were caught up by wreaths of evergreen and lanterns of Japanese design. The word "Charity" in large letters of evergreen on a background of canary spanned the stage. Immediately over the grand piano, at the corner of the stage, was suspended a huge umbrella while from its framework hung gay colored streamers and lanterns. The balustrade around the gallery was adorned with fan palm leaves. The large auditorium seemed like a reflex of all the seasons of the year. Gentle tints of pink and white, beautiful combinations of sky blue and bright foliage gave an impression of spring. Bright yellow and greens with the glare of bright lights reflected upon them, gay flowers and gaudy streamers suggested the brighter and maturer days of summer. Somber hues of buff and fawn decorations of cypress and autumn leaves gave a quietness to the general air of the building. Winter was suggested by bright fits of holly and mistletoe and by the delightful air of pleasant enjoyment and sociability that characterized the gathering and which has become to be associated with the season of the year when the nights are longest.

Shady little nooks arranged amid banks of ivy and evergreen afforded opportunity for delightful tete-a-tetes, and the ante rooms and passage ways were not neglected, even the main staircase having been decorated with profusion of cypress, holly, acacia, and other choice plants. The halls and parlors received their due share of attention and the refreshment rooms were each adorned in different designs and in various colors. All this was done under the direction of Mrs. Isaac Requa, who has for several weeks given the affair her constant attention. She was assisted by Mrs. Brown and the Misses Brown, Mrs. F. A. Dunham, Miss Brigham, Miss Hall, Miss Griffin, and Miss Wadsworth.

Early on the appointed evening the scene at the hall was a busy one. The guests began to arrive at an early hour, and came in a steady stream until both the main floor and the galleries were comfortably filled. With few exceptions the gentlemen were in full dress. Exquisite costumes predominated among the ladies.

The musical entertainment began with the overture of *The Merry Wives of Windsor*, by a worthy orchestra collected by H. J. Stewart. F. G. B. Mills sang Gounod's "Nazareth" in a manner eliciting hearty applause. A vocal solo, "La Fiorija," was artistically rendered by Miss Josephine Pritchard. Ben Clark, the well known tenor, sang "Good Night, Beloved." Mrs. J. H. Stewart, accompanied by the orchestra, rendered Mendelssohn's "Capriccia Brilliante," opus 22.

An unfortunate circumstance was the illness of Henry Heyman, who was to have accompanied Mrs. Mariner Campbell, and whose absence was felt later in the evening, for he had been announced to appear in two violin solos. Mrs. Campbell was compelled to render another selection than the one on the programme, and in response to a prolonged encore sang "Ring Out, Wild Bells," which was greeted with tremendous applause. H. M. Fortescue sang "Non Mir Corda," and the final number on part 1 of the programme was a song by Walter Campbell, "The Tower Watcher's Song."

The curtain rose on part two. *The Irish Cantata*, words by Peter Robertson, and music by H. J. Stewart, disclosing the chorus. Then entered the characters of the cantata, whose quaint costume and ludicrous facial makeup excited much mirth and attention. The leading characters, "Dennis Mulhooly," an influential alderman of New York City, was played by Frank L. Unger, and the wife of his bosom, "Biddy Mulhooly," was represented by William T. Barton, whose excellent voice and graceful portrayal of the female form divine completely disguised his real character. Ben Clark waxed down his mustache and converted himself into the fair "Nora Mulhooly," the alderman's daughter. The part of "Patrick Marvourceen" and "Lord Numskull," rivals for hand of Norah, were respectively taken by F. G. B. Mills and H. M. Fortescue. Of the cantata itself much need not be said, as frequent mention has already been made. The legend is a lively recital of the touching power of home associations, and follow the career of the young English peer in his quest of the hand of "Nora Mulhooly," who is far more favorably inclined toward the attentions of a simple but honest young boytrotter of her native land, "Dennis Mulhooly," who, since leaving old Ireland for his country's benefit, has acquired wealth and education, looks with scorn upon the advances of the young man who had aided him in days gone by, and is in the act of summarily ejecting him when a bottle of the home distilled potheen dropped from his pocket revives such touching recollections that he bestows his daughter upon him with his blessing. The story was conceived in the fertile brain of Peter Robinson, and fitting music was written to it by Mr. Stewart.

After the cantata the floor was cleared for dancing. The large stage was cleared, and its canvased floor and large area added materially to that of the main floor. The scene presented during the dance was indescribably beautiful.

At 11 o'clock Chauncey M. St. John and Miss Maud O'Connor of San Francisco led the german, of which two figures were danced, the first of which, the scarf dance, is well known and deservedly popular. The second was a figure originated by Mr. St. John, entitled the "grand right and left, with alternate columns," in which the participants, after making the round of the hall, passed under the hands of the first couple and separated, the ladies going to the left and the gentlemen to the right. The two lines then danced forward, joined partners, and danced the five step polka.

The large calcium light in the center of the stage was refracted, through many colored lenses, upon the dancers. The changing lights upon the beautiful costumes produced a fine effect, delicate shades and bright colors and combinations of both uniting into one and blending with the exquisite harmony of the orchestra.

At the close of the cotillon the clock heralded the near approach of 1889. As the hour struck the huge bell that had hung suspended over the stage sent forth its clamorous tones, the appliances for making thunder were set in action, and the orchestra, each member for himself, united in making harmonious discord. At the close of the deafening din supper was served.

No trustworthy estimate of the profits of the evening can be possibly made, but it is almost certain that they will roll up a handsome aggregate and add a comfortable sum to the fund of the Ladies' Relief Society, in whose interests it was planned. The interests of charity were admirably subserved, and a thoroughly good time was enjoyed by all.

During the evening lemonade was served by Mrs. Shepard, Mrs. Janin, Mrs. Hale, and Mrs. Ralston. Tea and coffee were dispensed by Mrs. Dunham, Mrs. Wadsworth, Mrs. Lilienthal, Miss Shepard, and Mrs. Matthews, with a number of fair assistants.

Among a throng of prettily costumed ones a few were noticed in detail.

Mrs. A. N. Towne wore an elaborate costume of black satin and Chantilly lace; her ornaments were diamonds.

Mrs. J. C. Stubbs wore a costume in flame red, with pink brocade and point lace, ornamented with diamonds.

Miss Etta Tucker wore black lace.

Miss Allie Tucker appeared in red silk and tulle.

Mrs. P. E. Bowles appeared in a handsome dress of blue brocaded satin, with trimming Duchesse lace, adorned with diamonds.

Mrs. G. W. McNear wore a handsome bronze satin dress adorned with point lace.

Mrs. Isaac Requa wore an elaborate toilet, consisting of a red brocaded satin skirt, with overdress of cream colored brocaded satin, trimmed with Duchesse lace and adorned with diamonds.

Miss Amy Requa wore pink velvet and white nun's veiling, adorned with fancy ribbons.

Miss Florence Brown was attired in white satin, decollete and sleeveless, with white tinselled gores and pearl ornaments.

Miss Griffin was dressed in white brocaded satin.

Miss Maud O'Conner wore pink silk adorned with pearls.

Mrs. Henry Wadsworth was attired in royal velvet, with jet trimming.

Miss Bessie Wheaton looked lovely in blue silk and tulle.

Miss Brown appeared in a toilet of black lace, sleeveless.

Miss Hattie Hall wore maize satin, trimmed with white lace, and ornamented with pearls.

Mrs. H. C. Taft was attired in black silk, with trimmings of lace.

Miss Claire Ralston wore a costume of simple white lace, embroidered with white lace.

Miss Brigham was dressed in cream tulle with satin bodice.

Miss Wilkinson looked very pretty in white organdie with sash of white moire.

Miss Mary Dunham wore scarlet surah, adorned with ribbons of watered silk.

Miss Watt wore a white gown, directoire, with corsage bouquet of Narcissus.

Mrs. Horatio P. Livermore wore a costume of yellow silk, en traine, ornamented with coral jewelry.

Miss Carrie Van Zant was attired in a dress of white surah with front of white tulle. Her ornaments were pearls.

Miss May White wore black surah silk and lace, with a corsage bouquet of violets.

Mrs. W. E. Hale was attired in black silk.

Miss Flint wore a handsome toilet of white China silk, corded.

Miss Celia Doyle was very prettily attired in pink crepe, sleeveless and decollete, with gold embroidery.

Mrs. George H. Wheaton wore red silk with iridescent trimming.

Miss Katie Clement was attired in white silk, net overdress, and moire trimming, with corsage bouquet of marguerites.

Miss De Fremery wore white tulle.

Miss Daisy Ainsworth came in a lovely dress of blue nun's veiling and silk.

Miss Ethel Tubbs wore a costume of white tulle with watered silk sash.

Miss Mattie Knowles appeared to advantage in pale blue silk and embroidered gauze.

Miss Fannie Orr wore white organdie over silk.

Miss Miller wore white lace over silk with satin bodice.

Miss Mamie Knowles was attired in cream white India silk and lace.

Mrs. H. B. Hinckley wore a dress of wine colored silk with chantilly overdress adorned with diamonds.

Miss Mamie Prather wore a handsome costume of pale blue lace and silk.

Miss Goodall was attired in gobelin blue, blue silk, and lace.

Miss Miner wore a beautiful dress of black satin and Spanish lace, ornamented with yellow chrysanthemums.

Mrs. Watt wore scarlet silk with black lace.

Miss Hall wore a sleeveless costume of black lace.

Mrs. J. E. McElrath wore black silk with lace overdress. Diamonds were her ornaments.

Mrs. William G. Henshaw wore white satin and tulle.

Miss Gertrude Bayley wore white satin and tulle.

Miss Allie Grimes wore white satin and crepe.

Miss Eva Henry looked lovely in a beautiful costume of olive green satin.

Miss Lou Dennison wore a costume of yellow cashmere with black velvet bodice.

Miss Clara Elsey wore old gold satin with front of cream colored brocaded satin, and carried a bouquet of Chinese lilies.

Mrs. H. P. Carleton wore white watered silk.

Miss Folger was attired in scarlet satin.

Miss Elsie B. Lee wore white tulle.

Miss Grayson wore white lace over a dress of pink satin.

Mrs. Eugene Beck was attired in a toilet of black lace, adorned with diamonds.

Miss Jennie Waters wore a dress of black lace, sleeveless and with satin corsage, cut V shape.

Miss Lillian B. Wall wore light brown silk and diamonds.

Miss May Austin was attired in blue and white embroidered mull.

Mrs. Emma Eels wore a costume of pale blue crepe and satin.

Mrs. Van L. Eastland wore black silk. Her ornaments were diamonds.

Miss Mollie Hutchinson was attired in cream colored surah with pearl trimmings.

Among those who flitted about the floor were: Mrs. Blanchard, W. A. Childs, W. K. Briggs, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Standeford, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Redding, C. P. Hubbard, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Isaacs, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Dunham, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Rowe, George Perkins, Miss Winters, Miss Perkins, R. W. Reynolds, W. Musfelder, Miss Etta Dougherty, H. W. France, Miss Allie Grimes, Henry Gibbs, Miss Lapham, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Henshaw, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Luty, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Keller, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Henry, Miss Henry, Mrs. George H. Wheaton, George S. Wheaton, Will Wheaton, Miss Bessie Wheaton, Miss Carrie Campbell, F. M. Dunwoodie, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Blote, Mrs. John Cushing, Miss May Hudson, A. P. Hayne, Miss Inge Hickman, Mrs. L. M. Hickman, Miss Clara Ralston, Miss May Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Pierce, Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Davis, H. B. West, A. P. Hayne, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Hinckley, E. G. Vinzent, A. M. Simpson, Miss Dalles, E. G. Knapp, Miss Grayson, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ralston, Mrs. G. A. Lowe, Miss Florinne Brown, B. G. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Prather, Mrs. Chadbourne, Miss Gertrude Chadbourne, A. B. Costigan, Miss M. E. Snell, S. H. Snell, E. W. Marston, Miss Edmundson, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stubbs, Miss Hickman, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dargie, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Filmore, P. Maloney, Miss May Maloney, D. E. Hayes, R. H. Bennett Jr., R. Flint, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hale, V. L. Eastland, F. L. Gove, Miss Sophie Newland, S. L. Potter, Mrs. Kate G. Potter, Miss Jackson, Miss Jennie C. Waters, G. Clement Snook, H. J. Stewart, J. L. Barker, Miss Juanita Davis, W. O. Cullen, Miss Millie Davis, Miss Mary Davis, A. Tennent, Miss Mary Tennent, C. B. Foote, Mrs. Beck, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Taft, Miss Florence Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. William Cullen, Mr. and Mrs. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Isaacs, Miss B. C. Shortridge, Miss Mabel White, Dr. and Mrs. J. W. White, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Nusbaumer, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. 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Wyman Jr., Harry Bance, Aaron Blake, Eugene Hilgard, Miss Carrie Van Zandt, Miss Juliet Alexander, Miss Amy Rogers, Miss Alice Dyer, Miss Laura Requa, Miss Susie Bennett, D. Edward Collins, Will Magee, Thomas Magee, A. S. Macdonald, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Tuttle, Miss Mabel Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Horatio Livermore, Miss Mattie Knowles, Mr. and Mrs. Popp, Mr. and Mrs. Campbell, Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Powers, Dr. and Mrs. A. Cornwell, Prentiss Hutchinson, Miss Celia Doyle, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Folger, H. S. Safford, Miss Safford, Miss Clara Safford, Miss Rebecca White, H. M. Vaughn, S. M. Prather, D. McClure, Miss McClure, Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McElrath, Miss C. M. Whitman, Will Whitman, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Goodall, Miss Ella Goodall, Arthur Goodall, Miss Masden, Gordon Mills, Frank Stone, H. M. Fortescue, Chauncey M. St. John, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Ginn, A. K. P. Harmon, G. C. Edwards, Miss Clara Edwards, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brown, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. 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Carpenter, Albert Brayton, R. M. Fitzgerald, Miss Lucy Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Kelley, Clark Wise, Eugene de Reeves, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Carlton, Miss Jeanette Haveman, Ed Hinckley, Miss Mae Foulkes, Miss Kyle, Bruce Foulkes, J. D. Redding, Miss Brett, Harry Converse.

AT HOME ON NEW YEAR'S DAY.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Miller were at home to a number of their friends on the first evening of the year. The event was an informal one, and was thoroughly enjoyed by those who were present. Dancing was in order. At 11 o'clock an elaborate repast was served, at which the following, among others, were at the table: Miss Tucker, Miss Etta Tucker, Miss Sallie McKee, Miss Pierce, Miss Josephine Pierce, the Misses Herrick, Miss Ainsworth, Miss Lohman, Mr. Zeigler, J. A. Folger Jr., W. B. Hamilton, E. F. Green, John Salter, A. P. Brayton Jr., George Mayhew, J. C. Ainsworth Jr., Henry Wadsworth, T. T. Dargie, A. S. Macdonald, Miss Clair Ralston, the Misses Watt, Miss Wadsworth, Miss Florence Brown, the Misses Miller, Robert Watt, S. B. deKee, A. J. Ralston, Norman Lang, D. Y. Campbell and E. G. Vinzent.

THE KENNA RECEPTION.

One of the pleasantest events of the week was the reception tendered by Mr. and Mrs. P. J. G. Kenna to a number of their friends on Tuesday evening last. The handsome residence, situated on Thirteenth avenue, near Twenty-second street, East Oakland, was brightly lighted within and prettily decorated for the occasion with flowers and evergreens. The polished hardwood floor had previously been waxed for the occasion, and excellent music for dancing was furnished by an Italian string orchestra. At a handsome sideboard in the lower hall lemonade was dispensed during the evening.

The apartments on the second floor were converted into gardens, and the older people among the guests whiled away the hours of the night in pleasant games and pastimes. At midnight supper was served in the attic, in which had been erected a number of tents and awnings. During the evening the company were entertained by several musical selections by members of the Bandoria Club, comprising Professor Lombardella, Baxter Wright, and Professor Sancho. Mrs. Kenna was assisted in receiving the company by her sister, Miss Emma Murray, and Mrs. John Lloyd.

Among the invited guests were the following: Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Coffey, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Maguire, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dargie, Mr. and Mrs. Roseborough, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Albright, Mr. and Mrs. James Turner, Mr. and Mrs. John Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. G. Fox, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Crane, Mr. and Mrs. Pope, Mr. and Mrs. Seaton, Mr. and Mrs. John Albright, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Low, Mr. and Mrs. Van Eastland, Mr. and Mrs. Brigton, Mr. and Mrs. James Phelan, Mr. and Mrs. Hayes, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Judson, Mr. and Mrs. Marion, Mr. and Mrs. C. Dougherty, Mr. and Mrs. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. McKenna, Mr. and Mrs. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Pheby, Mr. and Mrs. Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. Theobald, Mr. and Mrs. Dejew, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Knox, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. J. Wrinkle, Mrs. Nixon, Mrs. Buckley, Mrs. Gallagher, Mrs. Livingston, Mrs. Clark, Miss Josie May, Miss Maud Smith, Miss Gertie Mathews, Miss Walbridge, Miss Annie Rosborough, Miss Faustina Blinn, Miss Marion Albright, Miss Mollie Phelan, Miss Lizzie Livingston, Miss Helena Gardiner, Miss Hunt, Miss Jennie Wade, Miss Elsie Pheby, Miss Hattie Work, Miss Theresa Hand, Miss Nellie Hare, Miss May Judson, Miss Mollie Cain, Miss Lizzie McNally, Miss Ada Dougherty, Miss Addie Titus, Miss Etta Dougherty, Miss Edith Scott, Miss Mabel Holbrook, Miss Morris, Miss Fannie Sullivan, Miss Lizzie O'Niel, Miss Emma Murray, Miss Gertie Murray, Miss Bix Jenna, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Sheldon, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brandenstien, Mr. and Mrs. O'Leary, Mr. and Mrs. Hastings, Mrs. Josie Van Vrankin, William Miller, Arthur W. Spear, George McDonald, Mr. Brooks, Alexander Rosborough, Romeo Churchill, Frank Blinn, Fred Pheby, Walter Hunt, Harry Wise, Gus Owens, James Owens, Frank Albright, Louis Stevenson, Harry White, Mr. Wilcox, Charles Judson, Romeo Gardiner, Harry Kirk, Frank Pugh, Carl Allen, Harry Moulton, B. F. McFadden, Ed Harren, James D. Phelan, Gus Bray, Van Headly, Baxter Wright, Charles Simmons, Will Nolan, Dr. Fall, Professor Sancho, Professor Lombardello.

FROM THE HIGH SCHOOL.

The Ninth Annual Reunion of the Oakland High School Alumni Association was held at Cavalry Hall last evening. The hall was well filled with the members of the association and their lady friends. The evening's entertainment opened with the rendition of the following programme:

Overture, "Silver Bells" ..... Orchestra
Songs, a "Creole Love Song" ..... Moneriff
b "The Daily Question" ..... Meyer-Helmund
Mrs. F. S. Stratton.
Piano accompaniment, Miss Ina Griffin.
Violin solo ..... Kuyawski-Wieniawski
E. Von Adelung Jr.
Piano accompaniment, Miss Ina Griffin.
Recitation, from *As You Like It* ..... Miss Emma Howard
Song for cornet, "Ramon" .....
..... Orchestra accompaniment
Intermission.
Farce, *Poor Pillicoddy*.
Mr. Pillicoddy ..... Harry A. Melvin
Mrs. Pillicoddy ..... Miss Adelaide Rochers
Captain O'Scuttle ..... Dr. Harry G. Moulton
Mrs. O'Scuttle ..... Miss Grace M. Fisher
Sarah Blunt ..... Miss Bessie Graves

George Pardee, President of the association, then delivered a pleasant address, speaking of the origin of the alumni and of the wide field and large extent of territory now covered by its members. He spoke of the comparative youthfulness of the high school and contrasted its prominence as an institution of learning with other schools of far greater age.

He then paid a handsome tribute to its principal, J. B. McChesney. "From its very inception," said he, "there has been connected one name which has become to be almost synonymous with that of the institution itself; and with the many pleasant memories of our High school days is always associated the name of our first and only principal, J. B. McChesney. Around his name cluster all the memories of those happy, careless days when, boy and girl, we had yet before us the trials and tribulations of men and womanhood. Time, the great leveler of all things, has dealt kindly with our principal, and though we called him 'old Mac' fifteen years ago, I feel that it would be rank injustice to apply the adjective to him even now.

"There are vacant places in our ranks. Death has exacted his tribute and taken from us three. And while we rejoice at meeting old friends, let us not forget those other friends and companions who, beneath the green sod, sleep the sleep that knows no waking."

After the exercises supper was served and enjoyed by over 100 guests, after which dancing was in order until early this morning.

The following were recommended by the Executive Committee to serve as officers for the ensuing year: President, George Mason; Vice President, Chester Caldwell; Secretary and Treasurer, Will G. Bernard; Executive Committee, Arthur Bailey, Miss M. Kate Benner, Miss Maud Hunt, Miss Lulu Breck, Edward Engs.

Arrangements for the pleasant event were made by Miss Minnie L. Skilling, Miss Grace M. Fisher, Miss Adele L. Hyde, Fred A. Allardt, J. Ross Hardy.

The following acted as floor committee: Philip S. Carlton, Dr. George W. Rodolph, George E. Mason, Dr. H. G. Moulton.

The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McChesney, Mr. and Mrs. George C. Pardee, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Stratton, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Peniman, John Satterwhite, Harry Montague, Paul Riley, Milton Bulkeley, Phillip Collinschoan, W. J. Patterson, J. S. Silver, J. Nolan, the Misses Barbagaletti, Miss Silver, Miss Sumuer, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bush, Miss L. Wheeler, Miss R. Blake, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Carlton, Mrs. L. L. Griffin, Miss Ina Griffin, Mrs. Kate B. Fisher, Miss Gracie Fisher, Miss Irene Hardy, Miss Maud Lane, Miss Annie Howell, L. Garvey, Miss Graves, Miss Gussie Woodall, Miss Minnie Mercer, Miss Mabel Gray, Miss Cassie Ladd, Miss Wetmore, Miss Bates, Miss Gertrude Jordan, Miss Grace Mason, Miss Bertha Barthing, Miss May Burnham, Miss Breck, Miss Grace Fisher, Miss Alice McChesney, Miss Minnie Stephens, Miss Sophie Hardie, Mrs. Josie M. Hyde, Miss Clara Craft, Mrs. C. F. Hoffmann, Mrs. D. Mitchell, Miss Elsie B. Lee, Miss Byles, Miss Minnie C. Collins, Miss Grace Barnard, Miss Josie Bayley, Miss Alice Bayley, Miss Carrie Cushing, Miss Gussie Klosie, Miss Bates, Miss Lillie and Clara Wade, Miss Etta Hostetter, Miss Clara Elsie, Mr. and Mrs. Roeth, Miss Edna Howard, Miss Maggie Selby, Miss Fannie Henderson, Miss Chamberlain, Miss Kate Litzenberger, Miss Georgie Strong, Miss Nicholson, Benjamin Wade, W. Parker Lyon, S. A. Chambers, Hugh Norwell, E. Von Adelung, Fred and Charles Allardt, Chester Dearing, George Rodolph, William Moore, Robert Price, George Mason, Edward Hyde, William Watson, Ross Morgan, Phil Carlton, Lon Stevenson, Hubert White, Tom Haven, Will Fine, W. C. H. Goodrich, Newman Schutz, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Bidwell, Miss May Burnham, Misses Buck, Ralph See, H. A. Melvin, Ed Stearns, Fred Pheby, Miss Hattie Work, Hiram Luttrell, Miss Grace Stoddard, Russell Lukens, Robert Aiken, Harry Moulton, Alex and Ben Marx, W. K. Flint, George Flint, Walter Schilling, Will Grow, W. A. Dow, Joseph Pedrini, John and Victor Caestunt, John Henderson, Fred Hathaway, H. C. Moffitt, Will Friend, Thomas Haven, Hubbard Hall, Miss Henderson, Miss Barnard, Miss Banker, Rose Hardy, Charles Cushing, Harry Montague, Charles E. Townsend, Philip S. Carlson, A. F. Allardt, Lawrence Patterson, W. Dusinbury, S. E. Mackey, Miss L. B. Wheeler, Miss E. Blake, Miss Robbins, Mrs. F. M. Pugh, Miss May Graham, Miss G. Laird, Miss McCuesney, Mrs. F. J. Moffitt, Miss L. Fraser, W. C. Grove, J. Nolan, E. C. Hyde, W. H. Fraser, George Ross Hoffman, Frank Titus, F. L. Ransome, A. G. Blake, R. R. Shilling, W. E. Beck, J. A. Selby, W. P. Martin, Henry Miller, Robert Fitzgerald, Ed Howard, Frank Parcells, Russell Lukens, George Fogg, Lee Burnham, Sam and Jim Breck, Arthur Barley, Harry Converse, Fred Tovey, Arthur Lapham, and John Dunn.

MASTER WADSWORTH HAS RETURNED.

Last evening at their home, 1347 Alice street, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wadsworth received and entertained a number of young folks in honor of the return home of their son, who as present enjoying a school vacation. The interior of the house and the drawing rooms were very prettily decorated and the floors were canvassed, to admit of dancing, which was the chief amusement of the evening. Refreshments were served at a late hour, and a very agreeable evening was spent by all.

IN CLASSIC ALAMEDA.

A very successful party was given on the 28th ult. by the class of '89 of the Alameda High school at the rooms of the Olympic Club in Alameda. Dancing was the chief amusement of the evening, participated in by the following: Maud Noble, Miss Emma Pollak, Miss Olive Barnum, Miss Clara Robinson, Miss Florence Magill, Miss Smith, Miss Louisa Lutgen, Miss Mabel White, Miss Eva Fabens, Mrs. White, Miss Mamie Thornton, Miss Lilian Greene, Miss Gussie Kuhl, Miss Ethel Brown, Miss Annie Lewis, Miss Edith Brown, Miss Grace Sullivan, Miss May Barnum, Miss Janie Norton, Miss Amy Amyx, Miss Edith Ellery, Miss Lou Steele, Miss Maud Miller, Miss Mamie Lang, Miss Emma Hunter, V. Hutton, D. Schroeder, Miss Juliet Sellier, Miss T. Schraeder, Miss Bertha Meyer, Miss Jessie Nall, Miss Maud Kellogg, Miss May Hebard, Miss Annie Hebard, Mrs. Clark, Miss Bertha Perkins, Miss Cashman, Miss Hattie Nohmann, Miss Ada Nohmann, Miss Crystal Plumber, A. Lewis, Miss Lizzie Arnold, Miss Isabelle Linderman, Miss Edith Hobler, Miss Nellie Sullivan, Mrs. Tenney, Miss Helton, Miss Lou Fox, Miss Edna Nahl, Mrs. Greene, Mrs. Kellogg, Miss Martha Steele, Mrs. Brown, Miss Annie Fox, Miss Kate Sydney, Miss Minnie Koeber, Elliot Sandford, Benjamin Ramsdell, Adolph Rosenthal, Melville Claves, William Peck, William Simpson, Charles Peck, Frank Applegate, Joe Edson, Fred Youngberg, Arthur Allen, Sydney Allen, Frank Fabens, Fred Magill, William Parks, William Pollak, Charles Merrill, Fred Pheby, Will Fine, Robert Parkhurst, John Haltron, D. N. Donelly, W. D. Bones, Ned Osborn, G. Goggin, George Swyney, Fred Wheaton, Henry Eickhoff, Peter Brock, P. Nahl, John Meyer, William Cords, Sydney Haslett, Henry Von Kapff, E. Nelsser, Fred Lindermann, William Behard, S. P. Mossick, Herbert Page, Will Clark, Asa Perkins, William Cashman, O. Nohmann, Giles Bradley, Mr. Lassen, Will Chapman, George Jeusen, Leo Robinson, William Sullivan, Mr. Margrave, Charles Neal, Harry Tenney, Frank Ayer, Ed Hunter, Mr. Smith, Mr. Greene, Mr. Kellogg, Fred Michaels, Ned Lawrence, Ed Thornton.

The members of the class are: Miss O. Barnum, Miss G. Sullivan, Miss G. Kuhls, Miss L. Lutgen, Miss J. Morton, Miss E. Fabens, Miss M. Noble, Miss M. Thornton, Miss A. Lewis, Miss F. Magill, E. Sandford, W. Simpson, W. Peck, A. Rosenthal, M. Cleaves, Robert Cuner, A. Taft, B. Ramsdell.

FAREWELL, '88; FAREWELL, O. H. S.

The class of the Oakland High school which was graduated last month and was feted by its junior class returned the compliment on Monday evening, and gave a pleasant watch party to their friends and former schoolmates at Washington Hall. The hall was beautifully adorned for the occasion, and above the stage was the inscription, "A Happy New Year, '89." Dancing was indulged in until early morning. The floor managers were Henry Stewart, John Wilson, and Edward Engs. These were present: Frank J. Woodward, Miss Grace Woodward, Walter Shaw, Miss Rose Forester, Frank R. Leach, Miss Grace Mayhew, Mr. Stevenson, Miss Sadie Hardy, Victor Chestnut, Frank Wilkinson, Miss Bertha de Lagnna, Will Fine, Miss Buswell, Robert M. Price, Miss Martha France, Will N. Friend, Will C. Grove, Miss Nellie Hemenway, Miss Birdie Collins, Miss Ethel Moore, Herbert Sackett, Stewart Smith, Miss Ruth Larue, Miss Lou Beauvais, Edward Janssen, Miss Tillie Newsome, Harry Allen, Miss Ethel Atherton, Miss Etta Miller, Carr Neil, John Milton, Miss Mary Chestnut, J. Ross Hardy, Miss Crouch, Miss Virgie Lewis, William Milwain, Will E. Beck, Miss Georgie Strong, Miss Eva Berry, Harvey Goff, Miss Minnie Stevens, Miss Florence Branch, S. A. Chambers, George Mason, J. W. Satterwhite, Edward Pringle, Miss Carrie Crisby, Miss Lottie Eastman, Edward Engs, Miss Gussie Woodall, Miss Sarah Ward, Fred Pheby, Miss Nina Pringle, Miss Etta Miller, Alexander T. Stewart, J. Leo Park, Miss Virginia Bromley, Miss Minnie Mercer, Henry Stuart, Will Armes, Miss Mary Bates, George Gardner, Ben Marx, Miss Grace Mason, George Flint, Miss Mary Kirk, Ross Tucker, Miss Mable Craft, Charles Quinn, Leslie Ransome, Will Flint, George D. Flint, Will Smith, Alfred Dewey, Miss Etta Higgins, George Rodolph, Miss Alice Krylor, Miss Nellie Sullivan, and Miss Florence Huggins.

A SURPRISE TO REV. H. H. RICE.

Last evening the young people of the Second Presbyterian parish surprised their pastor and his wife at their home, 1054 Kirkham street. Mr. Rice was not at home when they arrived, but was sent for, and up

# THE WORLD.

## The Edmunds Resolution on the Panama Canal.

### Chief Arthur of the Engineers Coming Here.

### Later Particulars About the Sugar Fraud.

### Joe Neuman Wants $25,000 to Investigate a Silkworm.

*Special to the Oakland Tribune by California Associated Press.*

WASHINGTON, January 5.—At the conclusion of the morning business Senator Sherman called up the resolution reported favorably from the Foreign Relations Committee, declaring that the Government of the United States will look with concern and disapproval upon any connection of any European Government with the construction and control of any ship canal across the isthmus of Darien of Central America and must consider such connection or control as injurious to the rights and interests of the United States and a menace to their welfare. In calling up the resolution Senator Sherman said it was not impossible that the Government of France might step in to relieve the embarrassment of the Panama Canal Company, which has suspended. That Government might assume the construction of the canal or a dictatorship over it. The Foreign Relations Committee thought it an act of friendly caution to adopt this resolution.

#### A WILD AND WOOLLY WORM.

**Joe Newman Wants $25,000 to Cultivate Them in California.**

WASHINGTON, January 5.—President Protem Ingalls laid before the Senate to-day a memorial from the Common Council of Seattle praying for the admission of Washington Territory as a State. The Commissioner of Agriculture to-day transmitted to Congress report of Joseph Neumann, giving the result of that gentleman's experiments with the wild native silkworm of California. Mr. Neumann has had $25,000 to prosecute his investigations. This amount, he says, was entirely inadequate, and he wants $25,000 for the next fiscal year. He recommends the establishment of temporary observation stations to study the habits of the worm, etc. He also wishes to establish a central station in San Francisco, in which reports from the sub agents should be sent. Mr. Neumann says the Government owns millions of acres of land in California upon which the plant for the propagation of the wild worm grows, and when cultivated the production per acre will be from $25 to $100.

#### COMING TO CALIFORNIA.

**Having Settled the Burlington Dispute Chief Arthur Is Coming Here.**

CHICAGO, January 4.—Chief Arthur of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers arrived here this morning and signed an agreement between the Brotherhood and the Burlington officials. He expresses himself highly pleased with the conditions upon which the strike was settled, and says the terms will be entirely satisfactory to all concerned, but the terms will not be made public until the agreement goes before the Executive Board next week. Mr. Arthur leaves this afternoon for California. He declined to state what his business was in the far West, but it is supposed to be in connection with threatened strikes on the Southern Pacific road. Cavener will go to Cleveland to lay the Burlington strike agreement before the Executive Board.

Several members of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers in this city say that Chief Arthur has been expecting to visit this coast for some time, as he has not been out here since the convention five years ago. They all claim that there is no prospect of a strike on the Southern Pacific Company's lines, or on any lines in California. A. B. Cavner of this city, chairman of the National Grievance Committee, has telegraphed to this city that the "Q" strike has been settled, though the terms were not stated. This prevents any possibility of a strike for that reason. The Pacific Coast Grievance Committee is in session in San Francisco, and the only cause for general grievance that the engineers on this coast have is the case of T. J. Ryan, the master mechanic of the Atlantic system of the Southern Pacific Company, with headquarters at San Antonio, Tex. It is claimed that he has been using his authority unjustly. A delegate from Texas is in attendance in San Francisco.

#### MURDER AND ARSON.

**A $4000 Robbery Followed by Murder and Incendiarism.**

CHATTANOOGA, January 5.—It has been ascertained that the fire near Baggettsville on Wednesday in which Beverly Jones and his sister, Mrs. Henry Perished, was caused by tramps, who stole $4000, murdered the tramps, and fired the building to hide the crime.

#### A SHORT CLERK.

**A Paul Bank Has Unusually Bad Luck.**

ST. PAUL, January 4.—For the third time in its history the Second National Bank of this city is the victim of a defaulting Clerk. Charles H. Wright, paying teller, has left, leaving a shortage in his accounts which, it is rumored, will reach into the thousands. The bank officials have known of the shortage for two weeks, but have kept the matter quiet, hoping to effect a settlement through Wright's relatives. Wright's whereabouts is not known.

#### AFTER MRS. FRIEND.

**Criminal Prosecutions Against all the Confederates.**

NEW YORK, January 5.—Treasurer Robertson of the collapsed Electric Sugar Refinery scheme received a dispatch this morning from President Cotterill saying that he has engaged attorneys in Michigan to prosecute Mrs. Friend and her confederates. Mrs. Friend possesses some property in Michigan, and steps have been taken toward attaching it. It is stated here that a criminal prosecution will be at once begun against all the confederates. It is reported that Flanagan, who was employed as watchman at the factory, and who necessarily knew of the fraud perpetrated, has turned State's evidence and has given full details of the operations.

#### THE ARID LANDS.

**Vilas Recommends an Appropriation of $350,000 for Surveys.**

WASHINGTON, January 5.—The Secretary of the Interior transmitted to the House to-day a recommendation for an appropriation of $350,000, to be immediately available, for the survey of the arid lands in the west to investigate the extent to which they can be redeemed for the selection of sites for reservoirs and other hydraulic works necessary for the storage and utilization of water for irrigation, the work to be performed by the geological survey.

#### ONLY £16.

**That Is All De Lesseps Could Scare Up.**

LONDON, July 5.—At a meeting of the Panama Canal shareholders at Bordeaux, yesterday, those present responded to De Lesseps's appeal for funds by contributing only £16. Several speakers demanded that the Administrative Committtee at Paris should immediately make known the exact state of affairs.

#### POSTOFFICES PROMOTED

**To the Presidential Class and Their Salaries Raised.**

WASHINGTON, January 5.—The following fourth class Postoffices in California have been promoted to the Presidential class, at the following salaries: Redwood City, Jackson, and Oceanside at Monrovia, $1400.

**Palaverling Pugilists.**

NEW YORK, January 5.—A dispatch was received here this morning from Boston announcing that John L. Sullivan will leave Boston for Toronto tonight and meet the Kilrain party on Monday to arrange a fight.

**A Madman Warms a Town.**

BERLIN, January 5.—A great part of the village of Branoot was destroyed by fire ignited by a madman.

**Something Dropped.**

LIVERPOOL, January 5.—The shares of the Electric Sugar Refining Company have fallen to thirty shillings. Warrants have been issued for the arrest of Mrs. Friend's stepfather, W. E. Howard.

**Too Hot for Bismarck.**

BERLIN, January 5.—Professor Geffcken, who published the Emperor Frederick's diary, has been released and the prosecution abandoned.

**Fire Proof Oil.**

CALCUTTA, January 5.—The town of Cochin, on the Malabar coast, was almost wholly destroyed by fire. Only one building, an oil factory, was saved.

#### A BRAVE OPERATOR.

**He Fires on a Man Who Attempts to Rob His Office.**

SAN FERNANDO, Cal., January 5.—About 4 o'clock this morning an attempt was made to rob the railroad ticket office in this place. The robber placed his head within the partially open window and called upon the night operator Van Auken to throw up his hands. Impulsively Van Auken grabbed his revolver and fired at his assailant, the ball striking the narrow window casing. The robber then fired at the operator missing him by a few inches, the ball passing through the window glass behind him. The operator then shot again, when the robber fled. This ball must have taken effect as it passed directly out of the narrow window, which was wholly filled by the person of the assailant. On looking out, Van Auken saw two persons running down the track, and immediately thereafter heard a wagon driving in the direction of Los Angeles. It is thought that three men were engaged in the attempt at robbery. Already ten suspicious characters have been arrested. This is the second attempt to burglarize this office within the past three years.

#### CHINA AND ENGLAND.

**The Latter Country Given Control of the Province of Sikkim.**

CALCUTTA, January 5.—Negotiations between the English and Chinese governments have resulted in an agreement that the Indian Government is to have control of the province of Sikkim. This will greatly facilitate trade between India and Thibet.

**Burned to Death.**

HAWTHORNE, Nev., January 5.—John Colgan, a miner, was roasted alive in Candelaria on the 1st inst. He went to bed intoxicated, leaving a candle burning, which ignited the curtains and setting fire to his cabin. Colgan's body was burned to a crisp. His wife was visiting at San Francisco at the time.

**Waterman's Message.**

SACRAMENTO, January 5.—Governor Waterman's message is completed and ready for delivery.

**At Odds With Milan.**

BELGRADE, January 5.—The members of the Servian Ministry have tendered their resignation to King Milan.

**Seven Years for Manslaughter.**

STOCKTON, January 5.—H. James, convicted of manslaughter for the killing of L. J. Dougherty at Lodi in April, 1887, was to-day sentenced to seven years in the State Prison.

**Suicide in Ventura.**

SAN BUENAVENTURA, January 5.—L. W. Ormsby, living on a claim in the Ojai valley, suicided yesterday by shooting himself in the head. No cause is known for the deed.

**A Failure Reported.**

Several prominent Broadway merchants have received word through the wholesale dealers of San Francisco that A. Lippman of San Diego has failed. Mr. Lippman formerly conducted a large store in Oakland, but left for the former place during the boom in the southland and opened the largest store in San Diego for the sale of dry goods and fancy goods.

**When to Borrow.**

In an account published yesterday of the American Building and Loan Association an error of the types made it appear that money could not be borrowed on shares in less than ten years. The facts are, that shareholders may secure loans in two years, according to the announcement of the agent.

#### THE JOINT RESOLUTION

**By Which the Charter Will Be Submitted to the Legislature.**

Freeholders Olney, Glascock, Stanley, Powell, and Pringle met Senator Moffitt at the office of Mayor Pierce last evening, where the following form of a joint resolution confirming the charter was agreed upon, which the Senator will present in the Legislature at the earliest opportunity.

Senate Joint Resolution No.——

Approving the charter of the City of Oakland, in Alameda county, California, voted for and ratified by the qualified electors of said city at a special election held therein for that purpose on the 6th day of November A. D. 1888,

WHEREAS, The city of Oakland, in Alameda county, is now and at all times herein referred to was a city containing a population of more than 10,000 and not more than 100,000 inhabitants; and qualified, a Board of Freeholders was duly elected in and by said city and by the qualified electors thereof, to prepare and propose a charter for said city, which Board of Freeholders did, within ninety days after said election, prepared and proposed a charter for said city; and

WHEREAS, At a special election duly held therein on the 10th day of December, A. D. 1887, according to law and to the provisions of section 8 of article 11 of the Constitution of this State, a board of fifteen freeholders, duly

WHEREAS, The same was on the 8th day of March, 1888, signed in duplicate by a majority of the members of said Board of Freeholders, and was, on the 9th day of March, 1888, returned and delivered, one copy thereof to the Mayor of said city of Oakland, and another copy thereof to the Recorder of Alameda county (within which said city is situated),

WHEREAS, Such proposed charter was then published in two daily newspapers of general circulation in said city to wit: In the *Morning Times* and in the Oakland *Enquirer*, in each instance for more than twenty days, such publication having been commenced within twenty days after the completion of said proposed charter; and

WHEREAS, said charter was submitted (within not less than thirty days after the completion of said publication) by the legislative authority of said city, to-wit: by the City Council thereof, to the qualified electors of said city, as a special election, previously duly called, and therefore held therein on the 6th day of November, 1888, and

WHEREAS, at said special election a majority of such qualified electors of said city voting at said special election did vote in favor of and did ratify said charter so proposed, and the same is now submitted to the Legislature of the State of California for approval as a whole, as provided for in said section 8, of article XI, of the Constitution; and

WHEREAS, the said charter, so ratified in the words and figures following, to wit:

[Then follows a copy of the charter.]

Now, therefore, be it

*Resolved*, By the Senate of the State of California, the assembly thereof concurring, (A majority of all members elected to each house voting for and concurring herein.)

That said charter be, and the same is hereby approved as a whole, for, and as the charter of the said city of Oakland.]

#### AS A HOG ON ICE.

**The Independence of a Justice Whose Term Is About to Expire.**

Justice R. B. Tappan's term of office will expire on Monday at 12 M. The Judge has served the people of Alameda for six years in a judicial capacity. The last trial in his court took place to-day, and the litigants were two Portuguese families, whose numerous quarrels have made them notorious in Alameda. The case was transferred to Justice Tappan's court from Justice Holtz's. The plaintiff was Joseph Bettencourt who sued his neighbor, A. Francis, to recover the sum of $11 44 for milk delivered to Francis's wife and money loaned to her while her husband was off at the north pole hunting whales. Francis filed a counter claim asking that he be allowed $20 for the rent of land which his wife had leased to Bettencourt to plant beets in.

Justice elect Byler, who will succeed Tappan on the bench next Monday, was the attorney for Francis and wife, and Constable Fassking endeavored to look after the interests of Bettencourt and his wife, but when he attempted the role of a lawyer the Judge checked him, as he was a constable of the court, and therefor could not practice law therein.

After all the testimony was in, and the witnesses had contradicted one another as usual, Justice Tappan said: "This is my last case, and in rendering my decision I will be brief and to the point, and will be as independent as a hog on ice. I find in favor of Bettencourt for the milk sold and delivered. If my decision does not meet with the approval of either party, it can be appealed from for the small sum of $3."

**Against the Charter.**

Handbills circulated to-day on the streets announce a mass meeting at 8 o'clock this evening at Hansen's Hall, West Oakland. The bills contain the following announcement about the new charter: "Citizens and taxpayers generally are invited to be present and protest against its adoption in order to protect their homes and property. We are opposed to sectional discrimination and one man power!"

**High Priced Property.**

Citizen (to darky)—Do you know the agent who has control of this corner lot, Sam?

Sam—Yes, sah, the agent will be heah d'rectly. I has charge of the property. (To small boys)—Hi, there, yo' young white trash, stop frowin' mud balls off'n dat co'ner lot. Dat yar reel 'state is sold by the inch.

**On a Rustle Bender.**

At 10 o'clock yesterday morning Frank Clark of Haywards reeled into Joe Silva's saloon in that pretty town with what a bystander cheerfully characterized as a "crazy jag" on. A large cigar lighter attracted his attention, and using that as a weapon of offense he proceeded to clear the saloon. The frightened proprietor hurried after the Town Marshal and by the time he returned his place was a complete wreck. Clark was arrested and on sobering up released on his own recognizances.

**Necrology.**

Charles Shields, aged 3 months, died yesterday in East Oakland. The funeral will take place to-morrow.

Etta E. Howe, wife of Baxter Howe, a bookbinder employed in the Pacific Press, died this morning at 610 Twelfth street. She leaves two twin daughters two weeks old.

**A Milk Wagon Overturned.**

Thomas McNerny, a driver for the Piedmont Dairy, was thrown from a milk wagon to-day and slightly injured. The wagon was overturned accidentally.

**A Specialty Company.**

Leavitt's Specialty Company will be at the Oakland Theater Monday and Tuesday evenings of next week.

#### IN THE CHURCHES.

**Subjects of Sermons to be Preached on the Morrow.**

The subject of discourse by Rev. S. Goedenough at the Universalist Chapel to-morrow morning will be "Profit and Loss." In the evening at 7:15 o'clock the theme will be "Moral Eclipse, Its Duration and Effects." The hour of opening service is changed to 7:15 o'clock in the evening in order to insure closing in ample time for the 8:30 local train at Market street station.

DR. HORTON'S REJOINDER.

At the First Presbyterian Church, in the morning service, Dr. Horton, pastor, will preach upon "How We Preach." In the evening he will thoroughly review the review of his first Elsmere sermon by the pastor of the Unitarian Church, leading to the theme, "Has God Really Spoken to Man?"

MR. SWEENEY'S SERMONS.

Rev. George W. Sweeney of the Christian Church, corner Thirteenth and Market streets, will preach to-morrow at 11 A. M. on "The Mission of Revivalists." At 7:30 P. M. he will give his second lecture "A Reply to Underwood's Atheistic Atoms and Evolution of Life, Reason, and Religion."

**Temperance Meetings.**

Rev. W. H. Cooke will address the Gospel Temperance Union at 3:30 o'clock to-morrow afternoon, in the lecture room of the First Methodist Church, corner of Fourteenth and Clay streets. Drinking men are specially invited.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of East Oakland will be held at 2:30 o'clock Monday afternoon in the parlors of the Brooklyn Presbyterian Church. Mrs. R. R. Johnston, State President, will speak.

**Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint.**

Is it not worth the small price of 75 cents to free yourself of every symptom of these distressing complaints, if you think so call at our store and get a bottle of SHILOH'S VITALIZER. Every bottle has a painted guarantee on it, use accordingly, and if it does you no good it will cost you nothing. Sold by Osgood Bros.

**Grand Opening.**

R. H. McCloud, formerly Gray & McCloud, will open an elegantly fitted up Billiard Parlor and Cigar Stand on next Saturday night at 468 Twelfth st. The billiard tables are of the latest make, and the parlors are embellished by luxurious carpets and handsome easy chairs. Friends of the old as well as of the new firm are cordially invited to attend the opening.

**A Two Foot Rule**

May be a good rule but a better rule is to trade at H. SCHELLHAASS, 408 Eleventh street.

**Arpad, Haraszthy & Co.**

Are now offering to the trade and to the consumer the fine old well matured table wines from their celebrated Orta vineyard. Ask your grocer for them.

**A Selected Stock of Jewelry.**

John Frey the old and reliable jeweler of 1769 Seventh street, West Oakland, who has been established over thirteen years, carries one of the largest stocks of fine gold and silver watches together with a selected line of diamonds and solid gold jewelry. Those desiring to make suitable presents for the holidays will find everything they could wish to purchase in the line at John Frey's. A specialty also made in the repairing of all kinds of jewelry, clocks etc.

**Our Feet.**

All diseases of the feet, corns, bunions ingrowing nails, etc., entirely cured Dr. KITTMAN, 910 Webster st., near 9th.

**Notice to Travelers.**

Before you buy your ticket for the East please drop a line or postal card, and I may be able to do something to your advantage. Address J. S., box 1, TRIBUNE office.

**A Twelve Inch Rule**

Would not do to measure the length of your face if you neglect to secure one of H. SCHELLHAASS'S bargains.

**Mme. C. de La Motte.**

Late of Paris, has located in Oakland, at 1013 Broadway (Kohler & Chase's), where she is prepared to receive pupils in vocal culture.

**Cost of Police Service.**

The salaries of the Police Department for the year 1888 amounted to $42,127.

**Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy.**

Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy, a marvelous cure for Catarrh, Diphtheria, Canker Mouth and Headache. With each bottle there is an ingenious Nasal Injector for the more successful treatment of these complaints without extra charge. Price 50 cents. Sold by Osgood Bros.

Oakland Loan Office, 1162 Broadway.

#### THE STOCK & BOND EXCHANGE

SAN FRANCISCO, January 4.

UNITED STATES BONDS

| | Bid | Ask | | Bid | Ask |
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| Cpns, 4's | 127½ | — | 4's, reg | 127½ | — |

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| Cl Dry D. | 103½ | — | N R Rof | 114½ | 117½ |
| C C W C. | 103 | 104½ | Oakland | | |
| Dupont st. | 105 | 110 | L G E | 102 | — |
| Mkt st R R | 124½ | 125 | S F H | 112½ | 113 |
| Mp & Px. | 95 | — | S F Ar | 104 | — |
| P & O R R | — | 125 | S V Wt | 124 | 125½ |
| N Co rge | 93 | — | do do s. | — | 100 |

RAILROAD STOCKS

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Central | 28 | 35 | N B & L | 88 | 89½ |
| City | 75 | — | Omnibus | 47 | 52½ |
| California | 110 | 117½ | Presidio | 40 | 42½ |
| Geary | 115 | 130 | | | |

WATER STOCKS

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Sng Valy. | 100½ | — | Contr Cal | 92½ | 95½ |
| Blue Lk | 11 | — | | | |

GAS STOCKS

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Capital | 58 | — | San Fran | 59½ | 60 |
| Central | — | 84 | Stockton | — | 35½ |
| Oakland. | 34½ | 35 | Pac Lig C | 54 | 55 |
| Pac Imp | 65 | 66 | | | |

BANK STOCKS

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| A Nat of Cl. | 65½ | — | First Nat | 143½ | 147 |
| Bnk Cal. | 217 | — | L Prisa A. | 101 | — |
| Cal Sfe Dt | | | Mrchs E | 22 | — |
| & Tst Co | 45 | 55 | Pacific. | 160 | — |

INSURANCE STOCKS

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Actc Nv. | 96 | 97 | Home M | 155 | 16 |
| California. | 131½ | 132½ | Sfe Ins Co. | — | 80 |
| Commrl. | 121 | — | Union. | 110 | 115 |
| Frm's Fd. | 150 | 155½ | | | |

POWDER STOCKS

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Atlc Dyn | 48 | 49 | Sky Ht Co. | 4 | 8½ |
| California | 150 | 200 | Vigorit | 3.a | 3½ |
| Giant | ... | — | | | |

MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| O A Stc C. | 50 | 60 | O Art S Co | 50c | 70c |
| C D D Co. | 9¼ | 29½ | Pacific | | |
| C E L Co. | 26½ | 26¾ | Silt & Ind | 53½ | — |
| C E Wks. | 6¾ | 7 | P Rlng M | — | — |
| H Cml C. | 35½ | 36½ | P I & P C | — | — |
| Judu M C. | 9 | — | Pac Imp | 05 | 25c |
| Mchts Ex | 10 | 12 | PCC | — | — |
| Ocn S S Co | 84 | 86½ | Pa W & Co | 22½ | 32½ |

SALES THIS A. M.

| | |
|---|---|
| 100 Oakland Gas | 34½ |
| 265 Hawaiian Commercial | 38½ |
| 5 Cal Electric Light | 36½ |
| 70 Oceanic S S Co | 88½ |
| 11000 Market Street Railroad | 124½ |

SALES FRIDAY P. M.

| | |
|---|---|
| 10 Anglo-Nevada Ass'n | 96½ |
| 100 Cal Artificial Stone | 50c |
| 100 Oceanic S S | 87½ |
| 100 " | 88 |
| 30 " | 88 |
| 100 San Francisco Gas | 59½ |
| 50 " | 56½ |

DIED.

LAWRIE.—In this city, January 3, A. C. Lawrie, a native of Scotland, aged 63 years.

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